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ANNUAL TOWN REPORTS

Allenstown,

New Hampshire

ANNUAL REPORTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1959

ANNUAL REPORTS
OF THE
SELECTMEN and TREASURER
of the town of

Allenstown, N. H.

Together with the Reports of the
Road Agent and other Officers
of the Town for the Fiscal Year
Ending December 31, 1959

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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

ROLAND BAILLARGEON
9 Ferry Street

Town Clerk

ACHILLE LEFEBVRE
Willow Street
Tel. Hu 5-3552

Town Treasurer

CATHERINE POIRIER
7 School Street
Tel. Hu 5-9548

Selectmen

GERALD GAGNE, River Road, Tel. Hu 5-3764 Term expires 1960
WILLIAM L. BAILLARGEON, 33 Cross Street Term expires 1961
GABRIEL DANEAULT, Al's Ave., Tel. Hu 5-3995
Term expires 1962

Tax Collector

ARMAND DUPONT, Resigned
ARMAND POIRIER, Appointed
Al's Avenue
Tel. Hu 5-3833

Road Agent

HENRY BARON
3 Elm Street
Tel. Hu 5-3382

Fire Chief

HENRY LAVOIE
22 Cross Street
Tel. Hu 5-3164

Forest Fire Warden

ARMAND BRISBOIS
15 Library Street
Tel. Hu 5-9432

Deputy Wardens

AMEDEE COURTEMANCHE
PAUL BEAUDET
ELMER KNOX
LEO MARTEL

Supervisors of Checklist

PHILIP DANDURANT
LEANDRE DESROCHER
ROGER LETENDRE

Chief of Police

RAYMOND P. CONNOR
15 School Street
Tel. Hu 5-3223

Special Officers

ESDRAS LAVALLEE
HERVE VERVILLE
EUGENE CANTARA
ERNEST DANEAULT
GEORGE VERVILLE
EDWARD HAMEL
PETER JURANTY
RICO RISATTI
ARMAND BRISBOIS
OVILA CONNOR
ARTHUR GAMACHE

Judge Municipal Court

LIONEL P. STOKES
Reynold's Avenue

Representative to the General Court

NARCISSE V. GUILBEAULT
Sunset Avenue
Tel. Hu 5-3312

Civil Defense Director

JOHN LYNCH
Whitten Street

Library Trustees

VERONIQUE DESMARAIS
ANITA LETENDRE
AURORE RAYMOND

Librarian

AURORE RAYMOND

Budget Committee

EUGENE LAFLAMME	Term expires 1960
TREFFLE NOEL	Term expires 1960
ALFRED GIRARD	Term expires 1961
MICHAEL CHRONIAK	Term expires 1961
AMEDEE COURTEMANCHE	Term expires 1962
JOSEPH DESROSIER, JR.	Term expires 1962
LEON GIRARD	Term expires 1963
LOUIS GAGNE	Term expires 1963
REGINALD COURTEMANCHE	Term expires 1964
PHILIP DANDURANT	Term expires 1964
LIONEL STOKES	Term expires 1965
AIME BLAIS	Term expires 1965

Planning Board

HENRY LA RICCIA
ARMAND DUPONT
NORMAN DESROSIER
NORMAN RICHARD
PAUL LAMY, SR.
GERALD GAGNE

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Through inventory April 1, 1959, we found that there were 775 persons liable to a poll tax, 241 were exempted and 85 were over 70 years old, for a total of 1,101 persons over 21 years. Exempted were 232 veterans, 8 widows of veterans and one blind. Of the 85 over 70 years old, 47 were women and 38 men.

On T.R.A. Granite street was finished, being road mixed by the State crew. Granite St. Extension from Anderson's corner to Edward Huggin's was widened and trees cut off, the work also being done by the State crew.

Reynold's Avenue was torn up, regraded and graveled by Plourde Sand and Gravel Co., they being the lowest bidder. The road mixing was done by the State crew.

On Ray's Court, the money appropriated was left over to 1960. Work was not done on account of the street not being gravelled in time, as it was supposed to be when the street was accepted, therefore could not be road mixed.

The drainage ditch below Ferry Street to Canal Street was made. Two catch basins - one on Whitten Street and the other on Theodore Street were also made.

Mr. Armand Dupont resigned as Tax Collector on doctor's orders. We have appointed Armand Poirier of Al's Avenue, who has done a very good job.

Mr. Eugene Cantara resigned as Trustee of Trust funds. We have been unable to find anyone to replace him so far.

Mr. Joseph Forcier also has resigned as Health Officer. Up to press time we have not found anyone to replace him.

As to the Main Street bridge, we have contacted the State Highway Department, showing them what we wanted to be done. We have been waiting for a set of plans from them.

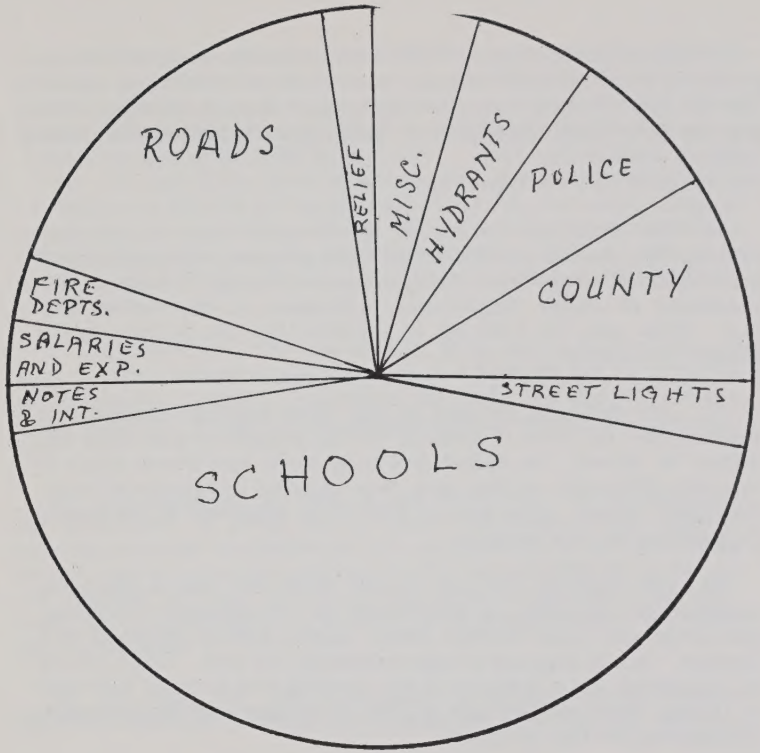
The Library was painted, windows repaired, and front steps also repaired.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED

Gerald Gagne
William Baillargeon
Gabriel Daneault

Selectmen of Allenstown

THE BUDGET DOLLAR



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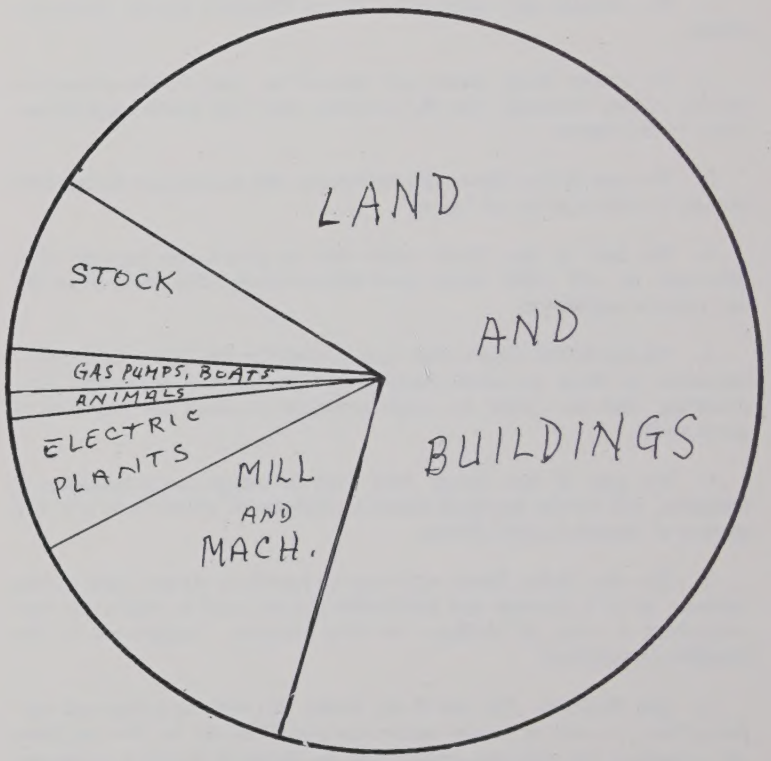

WHERE IT CAME FROM

Where it came from		Where it went	
Land and Buildings	75.2%	Schools	43.8%
Mills and Machinery	12.1	Roads	20.7
Electric and gas plants	6.1	County	8.
Stock	6.1	Police	4.9
Gas pumps, wood, boats, etc.	.3	Hydrants	4.1
Animals	.2	Fire Depts.	3.4
	100 %	Street Lights	2.7
		Salaries and Expenses	2.8
		Notes and Interest	1.9
		Relief	3.7
		Miscellaneous	4.
			100%

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

TO THE INHABITANTS OF THE TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN, IN THE COUNTY OF MERRIMACK IN SAID STATE, QUALIFIED TO VOTE IN THE TOWN AFFAIRS:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Fire Station in said Allenstown the 8th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

4. To see if the Town will vote to give a one percent (1%) discount on all 1960 taxes paid within thirty (30) days after the tax rate is approved.

5. To see if the Town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the Division of Municipal Accounting and to make an appropriation to cover the expense of such audit.

6. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the provisions of Chapter 287 of the Revised Statutes Annotated relative to playing games of Beano in this Town.

7. To see if the Town will vote to install a street light at the corner of Al's Avenue and Lafayette Street, and to raise and appropriate a sum of money for this purpose. (Approved by the Budget Committee)

8. (By Petition) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed $250.00 for the purpose of extending the existing sewer line on Reserve Street a distance of one hundred feet southerly. (The sum of $175.00 is approved for this purpose by the Budget Committee)

9. (By Petition) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $400.00 for the purpose of installing a sewer line on Al's Avenue from the residence of George Guertin to the residence of Roger Desrosiers, a distance of approximately two hundred twenty-five feet. (The sum of $300.00 is approved for this purpose by the Budget Committee)

10. (By Petition) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 for the purpose of graveling and grading Al's Avenue, from the residence of George Guertin to the residence of Roger Desrosiers, a distance of one hundred fifty feet. (The sum of $150.00 is approved for this purpose by the Budget Committee)

11. (By Petition) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $900.00 for the purpose of graveling and oiling "B" Street, so called; and to re-name said Street which is located off Granite Street and runs parallel to Lincoln Avenue, Campbell Street. (The sum of $700.00 is approved by the Budget Committee for this purpose.

12. (By Petition) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,700.00 for the purpose of grading, graveling and road mixing Notre Dame Avenue, south of Al's Avenue, for a distance of approximately 360 feet. (This article is approved for a distance of two hundred feet from Al's Avenue to Ridge Road and the sum of $500.00 is approved by the Budget Committee for this purpose)

13. (By Petition) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,233.00 for the purpose of excavating, graveling and road mixing Whitten Street, from Main Street westerly to a point fifty feet beyond the junction of said Street and Reynolds Avenue. (This article is disapproved by the Budget Committee)

14. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Street, a strip of land forty feet wide beginning at River Road and running westerly a distance of 500 feet, provided it is properly graded and graveled and otherwise complies with the Town's ordinance relating to new streets; and to name said Street Pine Acre Road. (This article is approved by the Budget Committee)

15. To see if the Town will vote to accept as a Town Street a strip of land forty feet wide beginning at Granite Street and run-

ning northerly a distance of 150 feet, provided it is properly graded, graveled and otherwise complies with the Town's ordinance relative to new streets; and to name said Street Diane Street. (This article is approved by the Budget Committee)

16. To see if the Town will vote to fix the salary of the Chief of Police at $70.00 per week, said sum to be his entire compensation for a seven day week, that is six days of work and one day off, provided that he shall be subject to 24 hour call, at no extra charge. (This article approved by the Budget Committee)

17. (By Petition) To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed $100.00 for the purpose of purchasing robbery insurance for both the Town Clerk and Tax Collector. (This article disapproved by the Budget Committee)

18. (By Petition) To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to print the assessed valuation of each piece of taxable property in Allenstown in a pamphlet or in the 1960 Town Report and to raise and appropriate the sum of $200.00 to defray the expense of such printing. (So much of this article as pertains to the appropriation of $200.00 is disapproved by the Budget Committee)

19. To hear the report of auditors, agents, committees or officers heretofore chosen, and to pass any vote relating thereto.

20. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

The polls will be open until six o'clock in the afternoon.

In accordance with a vote of the 1958 Town Meeting a motion will be in order at 10:00 a.m. to adjourn the reading of the Warrant to 7:00 p.m. Saturday, March 12th, at the St. Jean Baptiste Gymnasium.

Given under our hands and seal this 15th day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty.

GERALD GAGNE
WILLIAM L. BAILLARGEON
GABRIEL DANEAULT
Selectmen of Allenstown

A true copy of Warrant - Attest:

GERALD GAGNE
WILLIAM L. BAILLARGEON
GABRIEL DANEAULT
Selectmen of Allenstown

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN, NEW HAMPSHIRE
Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year,
January 1, 1960 to December 31, 1960 Compared with
Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the
Previous Year January 1, 1959 to December 31, 1959

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1959	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1959	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1960
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	$ 626.56	$ 626.56	$ 600.00
Railroad Tax	9.00	432.06	300.00
Savings Bank Tax	50.00	87.35	75.00
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands	500.00	564.36	550.00
For Fighting Forest Fires		831.92	
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance		234.42	
Reimbursement Bounties		4.50	
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses	275.00	329.00	275.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	15.00	37.00	50.00
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court	25.00		75.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	300.00	713.22	300.00
Fire Department		50.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	6,500.00	7,490.44	6,500.00
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
Poll Taxes - Regular @ $2	1,500.00	1,228.00	1,500.00
Yield Taxes	200.00	342.77	50.00
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES	$ 10,000.56	$ 12,971.60	$ 10,275.00
Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes			89,754.26
TOTAL REVENUES			$100,029.26

Budget

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1959	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1959	Appropriations Recommended By Budget Committee 1960
CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES:			
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	$ 1,800.00	$ 1,837.64	$ 1,800.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,100.00	1,268.69	1,100.00
Election & Registration Exp.	150.00	144.89	450.00
Municipal Court Expenses	150.00	150.00	150.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	200.00	155.59	200.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	4,800.00	4,828.69	4,800.00
Fire Department	3,000.00	3,402.70	2,600.00
Moth Exterm. - Blister Rust & Care of Trees	330.00	330.00	330.00
Forest Fire Dept.	200.00	1,673.11	200.00
Civil Defense	100.00		100.00
Health:			
Health Department, including Hospitals	50.00	30.00	50.00
Vital Statistics	50.00	55.80	75.00
Sewer Maintenance	250.00	300.29	250.00
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	4,000.00	4,527.02	5,000.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maintenance - Summer	4,300.00	4,424.38	4,300.00
Town Maintenance - Winter	6,500.00	7,621.24	6,500.00
Street Lighting	2,900.00	2,809.17	2,900.00
Oiling and patching streets	1,500.00	1,613.07	1,500.00
Town Road Aid	341.18	341.18	339.05
Libraries	1,100.00	994.03	1,100.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	900.00	863.61	900.00
Old Age Assistance	1,900.00	1,714.45	1,900.00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day and Veterans' Assoc.	100.00	100.00	100.00
Aid to Soldiers and their Families	500.00	598.72	500.00
Recreation:			
Parks and Playgrounds including Band Concerts	350.00	258.89	350.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Municipally Owned Water and Electric Utilities	3,840.00	3,960.00	3,960.00
Christmas lights & Safety Patrol	50.00	50.00	80.00
Notre Dame Ave.			500.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	350.00	344.80	200.00
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	400.00	458.47	450.00
Interest:			
On Temporary Loans	150.00	278.06	200.00
On Long Term Notes	145.00	95.00	75.00
Highways and Bridges:	1,000.00	256.29	
Town Construction, Streets	2,400.00	1,753.13	
Al's Ave. Construction			150.00
B Street Construction			700.00
Sewer Construction			475.00
Payment on Principal of Debt:			
Long Term Notes	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
School	42,274.63	38,074.00	46,487.00
County Tax	7,758.21	7,758.21	7,758.21
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$ 96,444.02	$ 94,571.32	$100,029.26

LIONEL P. STOKES
PHILIP DANDURANT
EUGENE LAFLAMME
LOUIS GAGNE
LEON R. GIRARD
JOSEPH H. DESROSIER
ALFRED P. GIRARD
AMEDEE COURTEMANCHE
REGINALD COURTEMANCHE
ARMAND DUPONT
WILLIAM L. BAILLARGEON
Budget Committee

SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

For the Town of Allenstown in Merrimack County for the year 1959

Land and buildings (exclusive of Mill buildings, land and machinery)	$1,197,919.00
Mill Buildings, Land and Machinery	143,750.00
Electric Plants	95,917.00
7 - House Trailers used as Dwellings	7,850.00
Petroleum and Gas Transmission Lines	1,650.00
Stock in Trade	97,344.00
8 - Boats	1,200.00
8 - Horses	750.00
26 - Cows	3,050.00
8 - Other Neat Stock	400.00
3 - Sheep and Goats	30.00
17 - Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	2,550.00
Portable Mills, Well Drilling Machinery	500.00
Wood, Lumber, Logs, etc.	450.00
Total Gross Valuation before exemptions allowed	$1,553,360.00
Less: Veterans exemptions and exemptions to Blind	149,800.00
Net Valuation on which Tax Rate is computed	$1,403,560.00

Name of Company	Electric Plant	Gas Plant
Public Service Co.	$94,000.00	
Concord Electric	600.00	
N.E. Electric	1,317.00	
Tennessee Gas Co.		$1,650.00
Total	$95,917.00	$1,650.00

Amount of Property Valuation exempted to Veterans	$148,800.00
Amount of Property Valuation exempted to Blind	1,000.00

Number of inventories distributed	550
Number of inventories returned	500

Number of veterans who received property exemption	145
Number of veterans exempted from poll tax	240

LIST OF TOWN PROPERTY

Fire, Police, Selectmen and jail building	$ 4,600.00
Fire Dept., furniture and equipment	10,000.00
Police Dept., furniture and equipment	300.00
Selectmen's office, furniture and equipment	300.00
Highway Dept., shed and equipment	2,500.00
Library building	15,000.00
Library furniture and equipment	3,000.00
School building	8,000.00
School furniture and equipment	2,000.00
Through deeds given by;	
Suncook Mills, land for park and playground	500.00
Suncook Mills, land for ball field	1,500.00
Harry K. Rogers, wood lot	150.00
	$47,850.00

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES ASSESSED

FOR THE YEAR 1959

Town Officers Salaries		$ 1,800.00
Town Officers Expenses		1,100.00
Election and Registration Expenses		150.00
Municipal Court Expenses		150.00
Town Hall and Buildings Maintenance		200.00
Police Department		4,800.00
Fire Department		3,000.00
Forest Fires		200.00
Blister Rust-Moth Extermination and Care of Trees		330.00
Civilian Defense		100.00
Health Department		50.00
Vital Statistics		50.00
Sewers - Maintenance		250.00
Dump and Garbage Collection		4,000.00
Town Road Aid		341.18
Town Maintenance		
Summer	$ 4,300.00	
Winter	6,500.00	10,800.00
Street Lighting		2,900.00
Oiling Streets		1,500.00
Libraries		1,100.00
Old Age Assistance		1,900.00
Public Relief:		
Town Poor	$ 900.00	
Soldiers' Aid	500.00	1,400.00
Memorial Day, Vet. Assoc., Old Home Day		100.00
Parks and Playgrounds inc. Band Concerts		350.00
Water and Electric Utilities		3,840.00
Christmas Lights		50.00
Damages and Legal Expenses		350.00
Social Security and Retirement Contributions		400.00
New Construction - Roads		2,400.00
Payment on Debt:		
Principal	$ 2,500.00	
Interest	300.00	2,800.00
County Tax		7,758.21
School Tax		42,274.63
TOTAL TOWN AND SCHOOL APPROPRIATIONS		$ 96,444.02

Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits:		
Interest on Taxes	$ 300.00	
Interest and Dividends Tax	626.56	
Railroad Tax	9.00	
Savings Bank Tax	50.00	
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal Lands	500.00	
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	200.00	
Dog Licenses	275.00	
Business licenses and permits	15.00	
Fines and Forfeits-Municipal Court	25.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	6,500.00	
TOTAL REVENUES AND CREDITS		$ 8,500.56
		$ 87,943.46
Plus Overlay		1,419.40
Net Amount to be raised by Taxation		$ 89,362.86
Less: 750 Poll Taxes at $2.00		1,500.00
Amount to be raised by property taxes		$ 87,862.86
Taxes to be committed to Collector:		
Property Taxes	$ 87,862.86	
Poll Taxes at $2.00	1,500.00	
TOTAL TAXES TO BE COMMITTED		$ 89,362.86

Tax Rate: $6.26

STATEMENT OF LONG TERM NOTES

	Fire Truck Notes	Int. 2 %	Ferry Street Bridge Notes	Int. 3%	Total Annual Maturities	Total Interest Due
1960 -	1,000.00	60.00	500.00	15.00	1,500.00	75.00
1961 -	1,000.00	40.00			1,000.00	40.00
1962 -	1,000.00	20.00			1,000.00	20.00

DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING

STATE TAX COMMISSION

Concord, New Hampshire

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

February 2, 1960

Board of Selectmen
Allenstown, New Hampshire

Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is the report of the annual examination and audit of the accounts of the Town of Allenstown for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1959, which was made by this Division in accordance with the vote of the Town. Exhibits as hereafter listed are included as part of the report.

SCOPE OF AUDIT

Included in the examination and audit were the accounts and records of the Board of Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk and Trustees of Trust Funds.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Comparative Balance Sheets: December 31, 1958 - December 31, 1959: (Exhibit A-1)

Comparative Balance Sheets as of December 31, 1958 and December 31, 1959, are presented in Exhibit A-1. As indicated therein the Surplus increased by $3,540.51 during 1959.

Analysis of Change in Financial Condition: (Exhibit A-2)

An analysis of the change in financial condition of the Town during the year is made in Exhibit A-2, with the factors which caused the change indicated therein. These were as follows:

Increase in Surplus		
Long Term Notes Paid	$ 1,500.00	
Decrease in Accounts Payable	80.00	
Net Budget Surplus	1,988.18	
		$ 3,568.18
Decrease in Surplus		
Decrease in Accounts Receivable	$ 9.00	
Excess Remittance by Town Clerk	18.67	
		27.67
Net Increase		$ 3,540.51

Comparative Statements of Appropriations and Expenditures - Estimated and Actual Revenues: (Exhibits A-3 & A-4)

Comparative statements of appropriations and expenditures, estimated and actual revenues for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1959, are presented in Exhibits A-3 and A-4. As indicated by the budget summary (Exhibit A-4), a revenue surplus of $2,963.99, less a net overdraft of appropriations of $975.81, resulted in a net budget surplus of $1,988.18.

Summary of Receipts and Expenditures: (Exhibit B-1)

A summary statement of receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1959, made up in accordance with the uniform classification of accounts, is included in Exhibit B-1. Proof of the Treasurer's balance as of December 31, 1959, is indicated in Exhibit B-2.

AUDIT PROCEDURE

The accounts and records of all town officials charged with the custody, receipt and disbursement of public funds were examined and audited. Vouchers and cancelled checks were compared with supporting invoices and payrolls as well as entries in the books of record. Receipts were checked by source insofar as possible and totals of receipts and expenditures verified. Book balances were verified by comparison with reconciled bank balances made from statements obtained from depository banks. Verification of un-

collected taxes was made by mailing notices to delinquent taxpayers as indicated by the Collector's records. The amounts of uncollected and unredeemed taxes as indicated in this report are therefore subject to any changes which may be necessitated by the return of verification notices.

GENERAL COMMENTS

Current Surplus:

The current surplus (excess of total assets over current liabilities) increased by $2,040.51, from $11,675.11 to $13,715.62, during 1959, as shown herewith:

	Dec. 31, 1958	Dec. 31, 1959
Total Assets	$ 36,467.08	$ 43,334.63
Current Liabilities	24,791.97	29,619.01
Current Surplus	$ 11,675.11	$ 13,715.62

Appropriation Overdraft and
Application of Municipal Budget Law:

It is noted that in the fiscal year ended December 31, 1959, there was a net overdraft of appropriations amounting to $975.81. In other words, total expenditures exceeded total appropriations by this amount as indicated herewith:

Overdrafts of Appropriations	$ 3,577.19
Unexpended Balances of Appropriations	2,601.38
Net Overdraft of Appropriations	$ 975.81

In accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Budget Law, RSA, Chapter 32, under date of May 19, 1959, application was made to the Tax Commission by the Board of Selectmen, with the approval of the Budget Committee, for a certificate of emergency authorizing the excess of expenditures over budgetary appropriations. This certificate was issued by the Commission on May 29, 1959.

Conclusion:

The provisions of Chapter 184, of the Laws of 1955, require that this report or the summary of findings and recommendations (letter of transmittal) shall be published in the next annual report of the Town.

We extend our thanks to the officials of the Town of Allenstown for their assistance during the course of the audit.

Yours very truly,

HAROLD G. FOWLER, Director
DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING
STATE TAX COMMISSION

Edgar O. Pesquera, Auditor
Dumont W. Bailey, Accountant

DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING

STATE TAX COMMISSION

Concord, New Hampshire

February 2, 1960

Certificate of Audit

This is to certify that we have examined and audited the accounts and records of the Town of Allenstown for the fiscal year ended December 31, 1959. In our opinion, the Exhibits included herewith reflect the true financial condition of the Town on December 31, 1959, together with the results of operations for the fiscal year ended on that date.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD G. FOWLER, Director
DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING
STATE TAX COMMISSION

Edgar O. Pesquera, Auditor
Dumont W. Bailey, Accountant

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EXHIBIT A-1
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
Comparative Balance Sheets
As of December 31, 1958 and December 31, 1959

Assets	December 31, 1958		December 31, 1959	
Cash:				
Treasurer	$16,468.92		$21,949.32	
Tax Collector	.02		5.00	
		$16,468.94		$21,954.32
Accounts Due Town:				
State of New Hampshire - 1958 Railroad Tax		9.00		
Unredeemed Taxes		168.72		309.89
Uncollected Taxes:				
Levy of 1959			$19,874.32	
Levy of 1958	$18,916.42		171.10	
Levies of Prior Years	4.00	$18,920.42		20,045.42
Uncollected State Head Taxes:				
State Account (Contra)	$ 870.00		$ 935.00	
Town Account	30.00		90.00	
		900.00		1,025.00
Total Assets		$36,467.08		$43,334.63

EXHIBIT A-1
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
Comparative Balance Sheets
As of December 31, 1958 and December 31, 1959

Liabilities	December 31, 1958		December 31, 1959	
Accounts Owed by Town:				
Due Tax Collector a/c Excess Remittance	$		$ 1.01	
International Salt Company	912.00		832.00	
Due Town Clerk a/c Excess Remittance	4.27		18.67	
		$ 916.27		
Appropriation Balance:				
New Construction - Roads				$ 851.68
				456.50
Due State of New Hampshire:				
State Head Taxes - Uncollected (Contra)	$ 870.00		$ 935.00	
State Head Taxes - Collected Not Remitted	130.00		300.50	
		$ 1,000.00		$ 1,235.50
School District Tax - Balance		22,875.70		27,075.33
Long Term Notes Outstanding		5,000.00		3,500.00
Total Liabilities		$29,791.97		$33,119.01
Surplus		6,675.11		10,215.62
TOTAL LIABILITIES & SURPLUS		$36,467.08		$43,334.63

EXHIBIT A-2
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
Analysis of Change in Financial Condition
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1959

Surplus - December 31, 1959		$10,215.62	
Surplus - December 31, 1958		6,675.11	
Increase in Surplus			$ 3,540.51
	Analysis of Change		
Factors Affecting Increase in Surplus:			
Long Term Notes Paid	$ 1,500.00		
Decrease in Accounts Payable	80.00		
Net Budget Surplus	1,988.18		
		$ 3,568.18	
Factors Affecting Decrease in Surplus:			
Decrease in Accounts Receivable	$ 9.00		
Town Clerk's Excess Remittance	18.67		
		27.67	
Net Increase			$ 3,540.51

EXHIBIT A-3
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
Comparative Statement of Appropriations and Expenditures
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1959

	Liabilities Forwarded From 1958	Appropriations 1959	Receipts and Reimbursements	Total Amount Available	Expenditures 1959	Balances Unexpended	Balances Overdrafts	Liabilities Forwarded To 1960
Town Officers' Salaries	$	$ 1,800.00	$	$ 1,800.00	$ 1,837.64	$	$ 37.64	$
Town Officers' Expenses		1,100.00		1,100.00	1,268.69		168.69	
Election and Registration		150.00		150.00	144.89	5.11		
Municipal Court Expenses		150.00		150.00	150.00			
Town Hall and Buildings Maintenance		200.00		200.00	155.59	44.41		
Police Department		4,800.00		4,800.00	4,828.69		28.69	
Fire Department, Including Forest Fires		3,200.00	881.92	4,081.92	5,075.81		993.89	
Blister Rust		330.00		330.00	330.00			
Civilian Defense		100.00		100.00		100.00		
Health Department		50.00		50.00	30.00	20.00		
Vital Statistics		50.00		50.00	55.80		5.80	
Sewer Maintenance		250.00		250.00	196.79	53.21		
Town Dump		4,000.00		4,000.00	4,527.02		527.02	
Town Road Aid		341.18		341.18	341.18			
Town Maintenance		10,800.00	101.55	10,901.55	12,045.62		1,144.07	
Street Lighting.		2,900.00		2,900.00	2,809.17	90.83		
Oiling		1,500.00		1,500.00	1,613.07		113.07	
Libraries		1,100.00		1,100.00	994.03	105.97		
Old Age Assistance		1,900.00		1,900.00	1,714.45	185.55		
Town Poor		900.00		900.00	863.61	36.39		
Soldiers' Aid		500.00		500.00	598.72		98.72	
Memorial Day		100.00		100.00	100.00			
Christmas Lights		50.00		50.00	50.00			
Bounties			4.50	4.50	4.50			
Parks & Playgrounds		350.00		350.00	258.89	91.11		
Water & Electric Utilities		3,840.00		3,840.00	3,960.00		120.00	
Damages & Legal		350.00		350.00	344.80	5.20		
Social Security & Retirement		400.00	1.35	401.35	458.47		57.12	
New Construction - Roads		2,400.00		2,400.00	2,152.92		209.42	456.50
Payment on Principal		2,500.00		2,500.00	1,500.00	1,000.00		
Payment of Interest		300.00		300.00	373.06		73.06	
County Tax		7,758.21		7,758.21	7,758.21			
School Tax	22,875.70	42,274.63		65,150.33	38,075.00			27,075.33
Overlay		1,419.40		1,419.40	555.80	863.60		
	$22,875.70	$97,863.42	$989.32	$121,728.44	$95,172.42	$2,601.38	$3,577.19	$27,531.83

EXHIBIT A-4
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
Comparative Statement of Estimated and Actual Revenues
and Budget Summary
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1959

	Revenues			
	Estimated	Actual	Excess	Deficit
Interest on Taxes	$ 300.00	$ 713.22	$ 413.22	$
Interest & Dividends Tax	626.56	626.56		
Railroad Tax	9.00	432.06	423.06	
Savings Bank Tax	50.00	89.35	39.35	
Reimbursement a/c State & Federal Lands	500.00	564.36	64.36	
Revenue from Yield Tax Sources	200.00	342.77	142.77	
Dog Licenses	275.00	315.10	40.10	
Business Licenses & Permits	15.00	37.00	22.00	
Fines & Forfeits - Municipal Court	25.00			25.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	6,500.00	7,509.11	1,009.11	
Welfare Reimbursements		234.42	234.42	
Refunds & Reimbursements		1.25	1.25	
Taxes Committed in Excess of Budgetary Requirements		42.00	42.00	
Commission on State Head Taxes		449.85	449.85	
Added Taxes		107.50	107.50	
	$ 8,500.56	$11,464.55	$ 2,988.99	$ 25.00

Budget Summary

Actual Revenues	$11,464.55		
Estimated Revenues	8,500.56		
Net Revenue Surplus		$ 2,963.99	
Overdrafts of Appropriations	$ 3,577.19		
Unexpended Balances of Appropriations	2,601.38		
Net Overdraft of Appropriations		975.81	
Net Budget Surplus			$ 1,988.18

EXHIBIT B-1
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
Classified Statement of Receipts and Expenditures
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1959

Receipts		
Current Revenue:		
Local Taxes:		
Current Year:		
Property Taxes	$67,832.64	
Poll Taxes	1,268.00	
Yield Taxes	411.32	
State Head Taxes	4,115.00	
		$73,626.96
Prior Years:		
Property Taxes	$18,544.79	
Poll Taxes	222.00	
State Head Taxes	810.00	
		19,576.79
Interest on Taxes		713.22
Penalties on State Head Taxes		84.50
Tax Sales Redeemed		226.42
		$94,227.89
State of New Hampshire:		
Interest & Dividends Tax		$ 626.56
Savings Bank Tax		89.35
Railroad Tax		432.06
Reimbursement a/c State & Federal Forest Lands		564.36
Fighting Forest Fires		881.92
Old Age Assistance Recoveries		234.42
Blister Rust		.40
Bounties Reimbursed		4.50
		$ 2,833.57

EXHIBIT B-1 (Continued)
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
Classified Statement of Receipts and Expenditures
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1959

Receipts (Continued)		
Local Sources, Except Taxes:		
Dog Licenses Issued		$ 315.10
Business Licenses, Permits & Fees		37.00
Motor Vehicle Permits Issued		7,509.11
Appropriation Credits:		
Highway Department	$ 101.55	
Retirement & Social Security	1.35	
		102.90
		$ 7,964.11
Total Current Revenue Receipts		$105,025.57
Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:		
Temporary Loans		$20,000.00
Telephone Tolls		.85
Total Receipts From All Sources		$20,000.85
Balance - December 31, 1958		$125,026.42
Grand Total		16,468.92
		$141,495.34

EXHIBIT B-1 (Continued)
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
Classified Statement of Receipts and Expenditures
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1959

Expenditures

General Government:		
Town Officers' Salaries		$ 1,837.64
Town Officers' Expenses		1,268.69
Election & Registration		144.89
Municipal Court		150.00
Town Hall & Other Town Buildings		155.59
		$ 3,556.81
Protection of Persons & Property:		
Police Department		$ 4,828.69
Fire Department		3,402.70
Forest Fires		1,673.11
Blister Rust		330.00
Bounties		4.50
		$10,239.00
Health & Sanitation:		
Health Department		$ 30.00
Vital Statistics		55.80
Sewer Maintenance		196.79
Town Dump		4,527.02
		$ 4,809.61
Highways & Bridges:		
Town Maintenance:		
Summer	$ 4,424.38	
Winter	7,621.24	
		$12,045.62
Town Road Aid		341.18
Street Lighting		2,809.17
General Expenses of Highway Department		1,613.07
		$16,809.04
Libraries		$ 994.03
Public Welfare:		
Old Age Assistance		$ 1,714.45
Town Poor		863.61
		$ 2,578.06

EXHIBIT B-1 (Continued)
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
Classified Statement of Receipts and Expenditures
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1959

Expenditures (Continued)

Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day		$ 100.00
Soldiers' Aid		598.72
Christmas Lights		50.00
		$ 748.72
Recreation:		
Parks & Playgrounds		$ 258.89
Public Service Enterprises:		
Water Utility		$ 3,960.00
Unclassified:		
Damages & Legal		$ 344.80
Taxes Bought by Town		367.59
Discounts, Abatements & Refunds		34.84
Refund to Town Clerk		4.27
Retirement & Social Security		458.47
		$ 1,209.97
Interest Paid:		
On Temporary Loans	$ 115.56	
On Long Term Notes	257.50	
		$ 373.06
New Construction & Improvements:		
Highways & Bridges:		
Town Construction		$ 2,152.92
Indebtedness Payment:		
On Temporary Loans	$20,000.00	
On Long Term Notes	1,500.00	
		$21,500.00

EXHIBIT B-1 (Continued)
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
Classified Statement of Receipts and Expenditures
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1959

Expenditures (Continued)

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
State of New Hampshire:		
State Head Taxes - 1958 Account	$1,008.00	
State Head Taxes - 1959 Account	3,446.15	
		$ 4,454.15
2% Bond & Debt Tax		$ 68.55
County Tax		$ 7,758.21
School District Tax:		
1958-59 Assessment	$22,875.70	
1959-60 Assessment	15,199.30	
		$38,075.00
		$50,355.91
Total Expenditures For All Purposes		$119,546.02
Balance - December 31, 1959		21,949.32
Grand Total		$141,495.34

EXHIBIT B-2
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
Summary of Treasurer's Account
and Proof of Balance
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1959

Balance - December 31, 1958	$ 16,468.92	
Receipts During Year	125,026.42	
		$141,495.34
Expenditures During Year		119,546.02
Balance - December 31, 1959		$ 21,949.32

Proof of Balance

Balance in The Suncook Bank - Per Statement December 24, 1959		$ 13,618.41
Add: Deposits of December 28, 1959	$ 9,759.41	
January 4, 1960	135.00	
January 8, 1960	157.34	
January 16, 1960	4.50	
January 22, 1960	1,611.13	
		11,667.38
		$ 25,285.79
Less: Outstanding Checks		3,336.47
Reconciled Balance - December 31, 1959		$ 21,949.32

EXHIBIT C-1
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
Summary of Warrants - Levies of 1959 and 1958
For the Period July 8, 1959 to December 31, 1959

Debits	Levy of 1959	Levy of 1958
Uncollected Taxes - July 7 1959:		
Property Taxes	$	$ 13,209.88
Poll Taxes	1,136.00	48.00
Taxes Committed to Collector:		
Property Taxes	87,862.86	
Yield Taxes	411.32	
Added Taxes:		
Poll Taxes	18.00	
Interest Collected	34.28	563.95
	$ 89,462.46	$ 13,821.83
Credits		
Remittances to Treasurer:		
Property Taxes	$ 67,832.64	$ 13,063.33
Poll Taxes	864.00	16.00
Yield Taxes	411.32	
Interest	34.28	563.95
Abatements Allowed:		
Property Taxes	112.68	5.46
Poll Taxes	8.00	2.00
Discount Allowed	326.22	
Uncollected Taxes - December 31, 1959:		
Property Taxes	19,592.32	141.10
Poll Taxes	282.00	30.00
	$ 89,463.46	$ 13,821.84
Less: Excess Credits	1.00	.01
	$ 89,462.46	$ 13,821.83

EXHIBIT C-2
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
Summary of Tax Sale Accounts
For the Period July 8, 1959 to December 31, 1959

Debits	Levy of 1958	Levy of 1957
Unredeemed Taxes - July 8, 1959	$	$ 29.33
Tax Sale of September 29, 1959	367.59	
Interest & Costs Collected After Sale	14.96	
	$ 382.55	$ 29.33
Credits		
Remittances to Treasurer:		
A/c Redemptions	$ 82.03	$ 5.00
A/c Interest & Costs	14.96	
Unredeemed Taxes - December 31, 1959	(*) 285.56	(*) 24.33
	$ 382.55	$ 29.33
(*) Unredeemed Taxes:		
Ernest Auger		Bal. 24.33
Robert Gallien	48.11	
Alice Stokes	159.17	
Suncook Valley Railroad	78.28	
	$ 285.56	$ 24.33

EXHIBIT C-3
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
State Head Taxes - Summary of Warrants
For the Period July 8, 1959 to December 31, 1959

	Levies of:		
Debits	1959	1958	1957
Uncollected Head Taxes - July 8, 1959	$ 3,705.00	$ 155.00	$ 20.00
Added Taxes	40.00		
Penalties Collected	5.50	5.00	
	$ 3,750.50	$ 160.00	$ 20.00
Credits			
Remittances to Treasurer:			
A/c State Head Taxes	$ 2,790.00	$ 55.00	$
A/c Penalties	5.50	5.00	
Abatements Allowed	15.00	20.00	10.00
Uncollected Head Taxes - December 31, 1959	935.00	80.00	10.00
	$ 3,745.50	$ 160.00	$ 20.00
Cash on Hand - December 31, 1959	5.00		
	$ 3,750.50	$ 160.00	$ 20.00

EXHIBIT D
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
Statement of Town Clerk's Accounts
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1959

Debits		
Motor Vehicle Permits Issued:		
1958 - Nos. 1951 - 1979	$ 81.99	
1959 - Nos. 1301 - 2043	7,408.45	
		$ 7,490.44
Dog Licenses Issued:		
127 @ $2.00	$ 254.00	
15 @ $5.00	75.00	
	$ 329.00	
Less: 142 Fees @ $0.20	28.40	
	$ 300.60	
Add: 29 Penalties @ $0.50	14.50	
		$ 315.10
Filing Fees		8.00
		$ 7,813.54
Credits		
Remittances to Treasurer:		
A/c Motor Vehicle Permits Issued	$ 7,509.11	
A/c Dog Licenses Issued	315.10	
A/c Filing Fees	8.00	
		$ 7,832.21
Less: Excess Remittance a/c Motor Vehicle Permits		18.67
		$ 7,813.54

EXHIBIT E
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
Statement of Trust Fund Principal, Income and Investment
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1959

Cemetery	Suncook Bank Depository Number	PRINCIPAL			INCOME				Total Principal & Income December 31, 1959
		Balance December 31, 1958	Withdrawals or Losses	Balance December 31, 1959	Balance December 31, 1958	Earned During Year	Expended During Year	Balance December 31, 1959	
Evans Fund	2402	$ 275.00	$	$ 275.00	$ 28.43	$11.46	$	$ 39.89	$ 314.89
Catherine S. Bates Fund	5233	100.00		100.00	93.61	7.29		100.90	200.90
Peter Donohue Fund	5234	50.00		50.00	46.62	3.63		50.25	100.25
Gedeon Petit Fund	6145	150.00		150.00	110.35	9.84		120.19	270.19
John Hill Fund	6810	200.00		200.00	99.09	11.29		110.38	310.38
Jane Harris Fund	7360	100.00		100.00	47.69	5.55		53.24	153.24
Victoria Rainville Fund	10941	100.00	100.00		27.64	5.79	33.43		
Louise H. Evans Fund	12978	150.00		150.00	7.33	5.93		13.26	163.26
Emanuel Labrecque Fund	14678	100.00		100.00	1.35	3.81		5.16	105.16
		$1,125.00	$100.00	$1,225.00	$462.11	$64.59	$33.43	$493.27	$1,618.27

EXHIBIT F
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
Town Officers' Surety Bonds
1959

	Bond Number	Amount	Term Beginning
Town Treasurer:			
Catherine Poirier			
Peerless Insurance Company	45612	$10,000.00	Mar. 10, 1959
Tax Collector:			
Armand W. Poirier			
Peerless Insurance Company	262805	$15,000.00	Jul. 2, 1959
Town Clerk:			
Achille Lefebvre			
Peerless Insurance Company	F-45615	$ 1,000.00	Mar. 10, 1959
Road Agent:			
Henry Baron			
Peerless Insurance Company	24-07-86	$ 1,000.00	Mar. 10, 1959
Trustees of Trust Funds:			
Selectmen			
Tax Collector:			
Armand R. Dupont			
Peerless Insurance Company	F-26-25-41	$15,000.00	Mar. 10, 1959

DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING

STATE TAX COMMISSION

Concord, New Hampshire

July 9, 1959

Board of Selectmen
Allenstown, New Hampshire

Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is the report of an examination and audit of the accounts of Armand Dupont, Tax Collector of the Town of Allenstown, for the period April 1, 1959 to July 7, 1959, inclusive, in the form of exhibits as hereafter listed.

Yours very truly,

Harold G. Fowler
Director
DIVISION OF MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING
STATE TAX COMMISSION

O. Maurice Oleson, Auditor

TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN

Armand Dupont - Tax Collector

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For The Period April 1, 1959 to July 7, 1959, Inclusive

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A - Summary of Tax Warrants - Levies of 1959 and 1958

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EXHIBIT A
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
Summary of Tax Warrants - Levies of 1959 and 1958
For the Period April 1, 1959 to July 7, 1959, Inclusive

Debits	Levy of 1959	Levy of 1958
Uncollected Taxes - April 1, 1959:		
Property Taxes	$	$ 15,678.24
Poll Taxes		88.00
Taxes Committed to Collector:		
Poll Taxes	1,542.00	
Added Taxes:		
Poll Taxes	8.00	
Interest Collected		63.71
	$ 1,550.00	$ 15,829.95
Credits		
Remittances to Treasurer:		
Property Taxes	$	$ 2,468.36
Poll Taxes	404.00	40.00
Interest		63.71
Abatements Allowed	10.00	
Uncollected Taxes - July 7, 1959:		
Property Taxes		13,209.88
Poll Taxes	1,136.00	48.00
	$ 1,550.00	$ 15,829.95

History of Allenstown, N. H.

CONTINUATION FROM 1958

As the controversy between the proprietors of Suncook and the proprietors of Bow, in relation to the ownership of their lands had much to do with the settlement of the township and history of Allenstown, which is in part made up of territory claimed by both, the following is an explanation of the origin and progress of these conflicting claims.

The controversy grew out of a dispute between the provinces of Massachusetts and New Hampshire as to the boundary line between them. Both claimed the land in question. In 1725-26 Massachusetts granted the township of Pennycook, afterwards Rumford, now Concord. Soon after the grant was made in May 1726 the proprietors or grantees, accompanied by a committee of the General Court of Mass. proceeded to run the boundary of the township and divide a portion of the same into lots for settlement. While they were so engaged, N.H. sent a committee to remonstrate and notify them that N.H. owned or claimed the land and intended to hold it. Notwithstanding this notice, the Mass. committee with the grantees continued the work and the settlement was commenced the same year. During the following March 1727, New Hampshire granted to 100 or more persons residing mostly in Stratham and adjoining towns, the township of Bow, containing 81 square miles, or nine miles square which included the greater part of Pennycook granted by Mass. the year before.

On August 6, 1728, Massachusetts granted the township of Suncook, of which Allenstown was a part, adjoining Pennycook, paying no regard to Bow, which N.H. had granted in 1727. By referring to map #1 in the 1958 town report, the relation size, shape and position of the township will be seen and that Bow included the larger part of both Pennycook and Suncook. On November 1, 1728, less than 3 months after the grant was made, the grantees of Suncook finished running the bounds of their township, while the grantees of Bow did not complete theirs till Feb. 1729. In Oct. 1730, the grantees or proprietors of Suncook divided a portion of their township, principally on the easterly side of the Merrimack river into lots. The settlement of the town was probably begun the next year for the proprietors of Suncook drew for their lots on Dec. 9, 1730.

The proprietors of Bow notwithstanding, proceeded in 1732 to lay out into lots the same and others, adjoining territory, paying no regard to the division already made by the Suncook proprietors; the lots lapping and overlapping each other. Both parties believed their titles were valid, and that their mother government would support their claim. Neither provinces were disposed to yield. An appeal was made to the King, and a commission was agreed upon, consisting of councillors from the provinces of Nova Scotia, New York, New Jersey and Rhode Island, with power to establish the line between the province of N.H. and Mass.

On August 1, 1737, the court, as the commissioners styled themselves, fixed the northerly or easterly boundary line of N. H. as follows: the dividing line shall pass through the mouth of Pascataqua harbor and up the middle of the river Newichwasnock, (a part of which is now Salmon Falls), and through the middle of the same to the fartherest head thereof, and thence north two degrees westerly until one hundred and twenty miles be finished from the mouth of Pascataqua harbor aforesaid or until it meets with his Majesty's government. With regard to the southerly line of N.H. the commissioners described two lines, a choice between which was left dependent upon the decision of a question of fact, which they said was in doubt, and which they referred to his most sacred Majesty, in his privy council, to be determined according to his royal will and pleasure. The question came before the King and Council March 1740. That part of the Commissioners report establishing the northerly line was affirmed, while that part which related to the southerly line was entirely set aside and the southerly line of N.H. was determined as follows: That the northerly boundary of the province of Mass. be a similar line, pursuing the course of the Merrimack River, at 3 miles distance on the north side thereof, beginning at the Atlantic Ocean and ending at a point due north of Pawtuckett falls, and a straight line drawn from thence west, till it meets with his Majesty's other government. By this decision N.H. acquired a strip of land fourteen miles wide and about fifty miles longer than she had claimed.

After this discussion by the King and his Council there was no further question within which provinces the township of Suncook and Bow were.

After many law suits and hearings it was finally brought to trial in England. The King and Council, after hearing the case in the report, gave the circumstances of the grant of Rumford and the settlement thereof; and also the same in the case of Suncook, after which is the following: that notwithstanding his Majesty has been pleased at the time of issuing the said commission to fix said boundary, to declare the same was not to effect private property, yet certain persons in N.H., desirous to make the labors of others an advantage to themselves, and to possess themselves of the town of Pennycook, otherwise Rumford, and Suncook as now improved by the industry of the applicants and the said settlers thereof, whom they seek to dispoil of all their labors, etc. This short extract from the report of the King and Council was sufficient to cause the Bow proprietors to abandon their claim upon the Suncook lands.

ANNALS 1722 - 1750

Allenstown was originally granted May 11, 1722, to the children of Governor Samuel Allen and to their heirs. It was described as follows: A tract of land four miles square adjoining to Chester (now Hooksett), side line and Nottingham head line.

The early settlements in Allenstown were made upon land purchased of the Masonian proprietors, and divided the territory which they called Allen's Town.

In 1729, before Suncook was laid out into lots, there was a ferryboat put into the Suncook River to accommodate travel. The ferryboat though not a large one, having cost only five pounds, undoubtedly served to carry the community and company over the river Suncook till 1735 when a bridge was probably built.

In 1735 or soon after, a bridge was built across the Suncook River lower down stream, a little west from the westerly end of the Webster Mill. A bridge was supported till after a bridge was built in the winter of 1802-3, where the present Factory Bridge, so called, now stands. There was evidence that there was a bridge across the Suncook River, somewhere near or north of the China Mill. It had been removed by some means before 1760. By whom, or when it was built, none was able to say.

In 1741, the first road was laid out through what is now the Suncook Village, for on February 26, 1741, John Coffrin gave the proprietors of Suncook a deed of land for a road, through the village across the bridge.

The first deed from John Tufton Mason may be found in the Rockingham County Records as being given July 30, 1746.

On May 20, 1747, Mr. Robert Buntin of Allenstown, and his little son Andrew, ten years old, accompanied by a Mr. James Carr of Pembroke, had crossed to the west bank of the Merrimack River, opposite the mouth of the Suncook River in Bow near where the late Benjamin A. Noyes lived. While at work, they were surprised by Indians. Mr. Carr in an endeavor to escape, was shot and killed. The other two, not offering resistance, were hastened unharmed into captivity. After traversing the wilderness to Canada they were sold to a French trader in Montreal. After remaining there about eleven months, they escaped and reached Allenstown in safety. The son, Andrew, born in Allenstown in 1737, enlisted in the army when the Revolutionary War broke out, and died in the defense of his country at White Plains in October, 1776. He had married Janet Otterson. They had seven children, Andrew Jr., Elizabeth, James, Sarah, Robert, Marie and Martha.

Captain Robert Buntin, fifth child of Andrew Buntin, was also a prominent citizen of Allenstown, serving the town as Selectman and Auditor. He was born December 1, 1767; married Betsy Hutchinson, and their first child Mehitable was born June 15, 1791.

Among the first settlers in Allenstown that can be found, were John Wolcutt, Andrew Smith, Daniel Evans, Robert Buntin, who with others were in town previous to 1748.

Vote Relating to Allenstown
1750
Province of New Hampshire

Masonian Proprietors Records and Papers, Vol. 5 page 29. Portsmouth April 25, 1750. Wednesday five of ye clock afternoon at the house of Ann Slayton. The Proprietors meet according to adjournment.

Whereas Thomas Packer Esq. on ye Eleventh of April instant was appointed in behalf of this Propriety to grant part of a tract of land belonging to this Propriety at a place known by the name of Allen's Town and ye Gore of land lying between that tract and Bow so call to such persons as he shall see cause, under such conditions as he thinks best for ye interest of the Proprietors, provided he gives no more to the grantees than one thousand acres of said land; Voted that James Cochran of Londonderry be one of the grantees and that Mr. Packer be desired to insert his name in the grants he shall make by virtue of ye vote aforesaid. In accordance of the vote of April 11, Mr. Packer on April 16 made an agreement with sundry persons to settle upon said lands in consideration of which, and other acts to be performed by them, they were to receive a portion of the land. The agreement was signed by Mr. Packer, and fifteen other men, including Mr. James Cochran. Among the things to be performed were the enclosure of 1,000 acres, with a suitable fence to protect the herbage, within two months; build a bridge across Great Suncook river at the Isle, within one year; and each one to build a house upon his share or lot, and have a family settled there within two years from the date thereof. Only a few of the signers of this agreement received deeds, either forfeited their shares, or sold out their interest to others who took deeds of their shares of the land.

Masonian Proprietors Records, Vol. 5
1750
Province of New Hampshire

Portsmouth Sept. 13, 1750, Thursday six of the clock afternoon at the house of Ann Slayton, The Proprietors meet according to adjournment.

Voted that Joshua Pierce and Thomas Packer, Esqrs. be a Committee to employ a Surveyor to lay out and make a Division of the tract of land called Allen's Town into fifteen shares equal and only two lots to a share to be coupled in equal value as near as may be and planning suitable highways, and return a Complete Plan thereof and then the said shares to be drawn for by the said Proprietors. In accordance with this vote, Walter Bryant, a surveyor of note was employed to make the surveys.

EXHIBIT B
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
Summary of Tax Sale Accounts
For the Period April 1, 1959 to July 7, 1959, Inclusive

Debits	Levy of 1957	Levy of 1956
Unredeemed Taxes - April 1, 1959	$ 139.20	$ 29.52
Interest & Costs	4.92	
	$ 144.12	$ 29.52
Credits		
Remittances to Treasurer:		
Redemptions	$ 109.87	$ 29.52
Interest & Costs	4.92	
Unredeemed Taxes - July 7, 1959	29.33	
	$ 144.12	$ 29.52

EXHIBIT C
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
State Head Taxes - Summary of Warrants
For the Period April 1, 1959 to July 7, 1959, Inclusive

Debits:	Levy of 1959	Levy of 1958	Levy of 1957
Uncollected State Head Taxes - April 1, 1959	$	$ 295.00	$ 25.00
Taxes Committed to Collector	5,050.00		
Penalties Collected		14.00	.50
	$ 5,050.00	$ 309.00	$ 25.50
Credits:			
Remittances to Treasurer:			
State Head Taxes	$ 1,325.00	$ 140.00	$ 5.00
Penalties		14.00	.50
Abatements	20.00		
Uncollected State Head Taxes - July 7, 1959	3,705.00	155.00	20.00
	$ 5,050.00	$ 309.00	$ 25.50

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

TOWN. OFFICERS SALARIES

Gerald Gagne, Chairman, salary		$ 237.50
William L. Baillargeon, Selectmen, salary	$ 312.50	
William L. Baillargeon, Selectmen, making head tax warrant	20.00	332.50
Gabriel Daneault, Selectman, salary		200.00
Catherine Poirier, treasurer, salary		150.00
Eugene Laflamme, tax collector, balance due		29.09
Armand Dupont, tax collector, salary	$ 71.00	
Armand Dupont, tax collector, head tax fees	39.60	110.60
Armand Poirier, tax collector, salary	150.00	
Armand Poirier, tax collector, head tax fees	69.45	219.45
Achille Lefebvre, town clerk, salary	125.00	
Achille Lefebvre, town clerk, auto permit fees	383.50	508.50
Henry Lavoie, Fire Chief, salary		50.00
Total Town Officers Salaries		$ 1,837.64

TOWN OFFICERS EXPENSES

Selectmen's Expenses

Royal Press, 1,000 town reports			$ 585.75
State of New Hampshire, auditing town books	$ 162.36		
State of New Hampshire, auditing Armond Dupont books	27.39		189.75
Katherine Roy, conveyances			28.40
Brown and Saltmarsh, payments and receipts sheets	3.30		
Brown and Saltmarsh, payroll cards	1.00		
Brown and Saltmarsh, columnar pads	1.65		
Brown and Saltmarsh, adding machine roll	.30		
Brown and Saltmarsh, 1,000 vouchers	22.00		28.25
Suncook Postmaster, stamps for office use	12.00		
Suncook Postmaster, stamps for inventories	6.00		18.00
Raymond Connor, delivering inventories	10.22		
Raymond Connor, collecting dog licenses, 9 1/4 hrs. at $1.25	11.57		
Raymond Connor, collecting dog licenses, 24 miles at $.10	2.40		24.19
Leila Bartlett, list of estates			.50
Assessors Assn., dues			3.00
Total Selectmen's Expenses			$ 877.84

Tax Collector's Expenses

Armand Dupont, Collector			
Suncook Postmaster, stamped envelopes		$ 48.40	
Sargent Bros., head and poll tax bills and stationery		37.40	
Hector P. Stokes, bond		25.00	
Ida Rowell, Assn. dues		3.00	$ 113.80
Armand Poirier, Collector			
Hector P. Stokes, bond		$ 50.00	
Suncook Postmaster, stamps		30.00	
Armand Poirier, cost and fees of tax sale		28.63	
Sargent Bros., property tax bills		11.95	
Brown and Saltmarsh			
Notice to delinquents	1.00		
Warrant for tax book	.50		
3 pads collector to treas.	4.50		
Redemption books	2.00		
Tape, etc.	2.65	10.65	
Pembroke Press, stickers		4.00	$ 135.23
Total Tax Collector's Expenses			$ 249.03

Town Clerk's Expenses

Achille Lefebvre, Town Clerk, convention expenses	$ 25.00	
Achille Lefebvre, Town Clerk, stamps	17.35	$ 42.35
Edson Eastman, notices to dog owners	6.54	
Edson Eastman, dog tags	11.75	
Edson Eastman, license dog book	3.70	
Edson Eastman, envelopes	1.53	
Edson Eastman, typewriter ribbon	1.20	24.72
Branham Publishing Co., auto guide		7.25
Charles Hardy, assn. dues		3.00
Hector P. Stokes, bond		2.50
Total Town Clerk Expenses		$ 79.82

Treasurer's Expenses

Hector P. Stokes, bond		$ 40.00
Brown & Saltmarsh, treasurer's book	$ 12.00	
Brown & Saltmarsh, pad for monthly report	1.50	13.50
Total Treasurer Expenses		$ 53.50

Road Agent Expenses

Hector P. Stokes, bond	$ 5.00
Brown & Saltmarsh, 2 pads payroll sheets	3.50
Total Road Agent Expenses	$ 8.50
Total Town Officers Expenses	$ 1,268.69

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION EXPENSES

Roland Baillargeon, moderator	$ 17.50
Philip Dandurant, supervisor	18.00
Leandre Desrocher, supervisor	18.00
Roger Letendre, supervisor	18.00
Hector Emond, ballot clerk	10.00
Amedee Courtemanche, ballot clerk	10.00
Charles E. Stokes, ballot clerk	10.00
Arthur Desmarais, ballot clerk	10.00
Armand Lemay, lunch	20.00
Royal Press, ballots	11.75
Achille Lefebvre, supplies	1.64
Total Election Expenses	$ 144.89

FIRE DEPARTMENT EXPENSES

Number of fires, 12		
Henry Lavoie, Fire Chief	$ 70.00	
Henry Lavoie, labor on alarm	59.00	
		$ 138.00
Amedee Courtemanche, Asst. Chief		72.00
Roger Lavoie, truck driver	71.00	
Roger Lavoie, labor on alarm	59.00	
		130.00
Donald Lavoie, fireman	45.00	
Donald Lavoie, labor on alarm	14.00	
		59.00
Gerald Gagne, fireman		44.00
Armand Brisbois, fireman		43.00
Leandre Desrocher, fireman		42.00
Rene Boudreau, fireman		41.00
Camille Champagne, fireman		41.00
Roger Letendre, fireman		40.00
George Verville, fireman		40.00
Herve Malo, fireman		40.00
Robert Chevrette, fireman		40.00
Leo Martel, fireman		39.00
Donat Daneault, fireman		27.00
Walter Martel, junior fireman and labor		23.50
Gerard Vincent, junior fireman and labor		18.50

Robert Baillargeon, junior fireman and labor	13.00
Richard Fleury, junior fireman and labor	10.50
Paul Lamy, Jr., junior fireman and labor	10.00
Richadr Gaumont, junior fireman and labor	11.00
Roger Neveu, labor	1.00
Andre Bonenfant, labor	1.00
Herman Girard, labor repairing doors	27.50
Cost of Labor	$ 953.00

Gray Bar Electric Co., supplies for fire alarm	548.39
Hector P. Stokes Ins., insurance on bldgs., truck	540.19
Henry Malleck, hose	349.95
Alfred Metivier, fuel oil	207.81
N.E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephones	185.75
Maurice Martel Ins., firemen's ins.	157.50
Public Service Co., light and power	142.29
Chroniak Jenney Sta., tires, gas and oil	122.89
Leon Boisvert Treas., donation $100, dues $5	105.00
Comi's Auto Electric, labor and material	41.10
Pembroke W.W., services	13.25
Chase's Garage, labor on brakes	13.17
Pierce's Sta., gas	10.24
Jones Express, freight	7.51
Gagn'e Sta., gas	4.66
Cost of material and other labor	$ 2,449.70

Total cost of Fire Department expenses	$ 3,402.70

SUMMER MAINTENANCE EXPENSES

Henry Baron, Road Agent, truck	$ 1,284.00	
Henry Baron, Road Agent, labor	1,284.00	
		$ 2,568.00
Oscar Allaire, laborer, labor		622.00
Eugene Cantara, laborer, labor		355.00
Edward Neveu, laborer, labor		155.00
Robert Beauchesne, laborer, labor		101.25
Ovila Martin, laborer, labor		68.75
Alfred Desrosier, laborer, labor		68.75
Joseph A. Houle, laborer, labor		55.00
Victor Auger, laborer, labor		27.50
Edward N. Beauchesne, laborer, labor		20.00
Ephrem St. Germain, laborer, labor		16.25
Joseph Daneault, laborer, labor		10.00
Edward Hamel, laborer, labor		3.00
Hector Heavey, cutting tree		3.00
Henry Gingras, welding		3.00
Town of Pembroke, use of grader		168.00
Cost of labor		$ 4,245.00

Hilaire Drolet, gravel	$ 118.00	
Plourde Sand Co., gravel	29.00	
Bailey Lumber Co., cement	9.60	
Bailey Lumber Co., pipes	15.20	
Suncook Hardware, 2 brooms	6.10	
Suncook Hardware, nails	.89	
Gerald Gagne, padlock	.59	
Cost of material		$ 179.38

Total expenses of summer maintenance	$ 4,424.38

RUBBISH REMOVAL EXPENSES

Henry Baron, Road Agent, truck	$ 869.50	
Henry Baron, Road Agent, labor	869.50	
		$ 1,739.00
Ephrem St. Germain, labor		715.54
Edward Neveu, labor		519.37
Oscar Allaire, labor		399.37
Eugene Cantara, labor		284.30
Ovila Martin, labor		136.60
Ernest G. Raymond, labor		78.65
Joseph Daneault, labor		71.25
Robert Beauchesne, labor		62.50
Victor Auger, labor		62.50
Edward N. Beauchesne, labor		44.37
Raymond Beauchesne, labor		41.25
Alfred Desrosier, labor		41.25
Joseph A. Houle, labor		38.75
Joseph N. Neveu, labor		26.87
Theodore Cyr, labor		23.75
Ernest Daneault, labor		16.25
Albert Dube, labor		13.75
Ernest Auger, labor		13.75
Gerard Rondeau, labor		12.10
Raymond Howard, labor		12.10
Armand Drolet, levelling dump		78.00
Town of Pembroke, labor and truck		45.75
Parker Bailey Heirs, rental of dump		50.00
Total cost of rubbish removal		$ 4,527.02

WINTER MAINTENANCE EXPENSES

Henry Baron, Road Agent, plowing	$ 744.50	
Henry Baron, Road Agent, truck	789.00	
Henry Baron, Road Agent, labor	789.00	
		$ 2,322.50
New England Cement Co., plowing		810.85
Armand Drolet, plowing and removing snow		582.00
Eugene Drolet, plowing		156.00
Town of Pembroke, plowing		88.00
Eldon Howard, plowing		25.63
Eugene Cantara, labor		615.15
Ovila Martin, labor		301.80
Oscar Allaire, labor		245.52
Ernest G. Raymond, labor		148.50
Edward Neveu, labor		59.37
Robert Beauchesne, labor		57.20
Gerard Rondeau, labor		37.40
Edward N. Beauchesne, labor		27.50
Jean Bonenfant, labor		15.95
George Laforte, labor		15.95
Ernest Beauchesne, labor		13.20
Ephrem St. Germain, labor		9.90
Ernest Auger, labor		4.40
Arthur Perron, truck widening roads		42.00
Donald Woodbury, attachment on pay		30.15
Edward Hamel, painting street signs		15.85
Henry Gingras, welding and hooking up plows		144.00
State of N.H. Garage, hooking plows to trucks		497.08
Cost of Labor		$ 6,266.00
International Salt Co., salt		912.00
Hilaire Drolet, gravel		320.00
Hazelton Co., blades		41.01
Town of Pembroke, pump		25.00
Rene Lavallee, oil for bombs		16.25
Sanel Auto Parts, aeroquip hose		12.18
Plourde Sand Co., gravel		11.25
Brasley's Garage, fan belt and labor		7.25
Chroniak Jenney Sta., oil for pump		4.50
Bailey Lumber Co., supplies		3.20
Suncook Hardware, shovel		2.60
Cost of Material		$ 1,355.24
Total Winter Maintenance Expenses		$ 7,621.24

OILING AND PATCHING EXPENSES

Henry Baron, Road Agent, truck and labor	$ 54.00	
Eugene Drolet, truck and labor	39.00	
Oscar Allaire, labor	22.50	
Edward Neveu, labor	22.50	
Ephrem St. Germain, labor	11.25	
Robert Beauchesne, labor	11.25	
Cost of labor		$ 160.50
Granite State Asphalt Co., hot top	$ 1,073.91	
Trimount Bit. Co., asphalt	334.66	
Hilaire Drolet, gravel	44.00	
Cost of material		$ 1,452.57
Total cost of oiling and patching		$ 1,613.07

STREET CONSTRUCTION EXPENSES

Reynold's Avenue Expenses

Plourde Sand & Gravel Co., excavating & gravelling	$ 955.50
Rock Asphalt, 1401 gals. at .1093	153.13
Total Expenses of Reynold's Avenue	$ 1,108.63

Work of resurfacing being done by the T.R.A.

Ray's Court Street Expenses

Henry Baron, Road Agent, truck and labor	$ 27.00
Oscar Allaire, labor	6.25
Edward Neveu, labor	11.25
Total expenses of Court's Street	$ 44.50

Balance of Appropriation carried into 1960 to finish work

Granite Street Extension Expenses

State of New Hampshire, part of appropriation for work done	$ 500.00
Hector Heavey, cutting 7 trees	100.00
Total Granite Street Extension expenses	$ 600.00

Catch Basin Expenses Whitten Street

Henry Baron, Road Agent, truck and labor	$ 15.00	
Alfred Desrosier, labor	26.25	
Joseph A. Houle, labor	16.25	
Cost of labor		$ 57.50
Concord Foundry Co., grate and cover	35.00	
Ovila Gamache, 225 bricks at .02	4.50	
Cost of material		39.50
Total cost of Whitten Street catch basin		$ 97.00

Theodore Street Catch Basin Expenses

Alfred Desrosier, labor	$ 20.00	
Edward Neveu, labor	3.75	
Pembroke Water Work, digging	30.00	
Cost of labor		$ 53.75
Concord Foundry Co., grate	18.00	
Ovila Gamache, 225 bricks at .02	4.50	
Cost of material		22.50
Total cost of Theodore Street catch basin		$ 76.25

Sewer Maintenance Expenses

Bailey Lumber Co., sewer pipes and cement	$ 23.54

Canal Street Expenses

Henry Baron, Road Agent truck and labor	$ 91.00
Oscar Allaire, labor	38.75
Joseph A. Houle, labor	23.75
Total cost of Canal street ditch	$ 143.50

Salter Bridge Expenses

Bailey Lumber Co., plankings	$ 228.34

Main Street Bridge Expenses

Bailey Lumber Co., plankings	$ 27.95

TOWN POOR EXPENSES

Alice P. Girard, overseer of the poor, salary	$ 150.00
Rainville & Daviault, groceries	270.00
Hospital Notre Dame, room and board	110.30
Rene Lavellee, fuel oil	98.28
Flanders Dairy, milk, etc.	72.63
First National Store, groceries	60.00
Jean LeBlanc, M.D. services	48.00
Whitney's Pharmacy, medicines	16.40
Daneault & Viens, groceries	15.00
Y. A. Girard, glasses	15.00
L. Nesbitt, M.D., services	8.00
Total expenses of town poor	$ 863.61

SOLDIER'S AID EXPENSES

Daneault & Viens, groceries	$ 300.00
Rainville & Daviault, groceries	72.50
Smith Oil Co., fuel oil	77.45
Concord Dairy Co., milk, etc.	51.10
Public Service Co., light and power bill	39.99
Rainville Shoe Store, shoes	18.80
C. H. Wells Co., clothing	14.94
L. Nesbitt, M.D., services	12.00
Petit Plumbing Co., services	11.94
Total expenses of Soldier's aid	$ 598.72

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE EXPENSES

O.A.A. State aid rendered	$ 4,471.08	
Paid State Treas. town's share 25%		$ 1,177.52
Alien O.A.A. state aid rendered	1,073.26	
Paid State Treas. Town's share 50%		536.63
Total O.A.A. expenses		$ 1,714.15

MEMORIAL DAY EXPENSES

Suncook Valley Post, V.F.W., town's appropriation	$ 100.00

CHRISTMAS LIGHTS EXPENSES

Chamber of Commerce, Ernest Coulombe, Treas. town's appropriation	50.00

HYDRANTS EXPENSES

Pembroke Water Works, hydrants rental	$ 3,960.00

YIELD TAX EXPENSES

State Treasurer, 2% bond and debt tax	68.55

LEGAL EXPENSES

Lemieux & St. Pierre Attys., services on Main Street bridge suit	$ 269.81
Woodbury and Woodbury, town counsel	75.00
Total legal expenses	$ 344.80

FOREST FIRE EXPENSES

Number of fires - 6

Armand Brisbois, Fire Warden	$ 99.57
Amedee Courtemanche, Deputy	71.45
George Verville, Deputy	41.08
Leo Martel, Deputy	19.95
Elmer Knox, Deputy	9.35
Gerald Gagne, Deputy	2.03
Henry Lavoie, Fire Chief	31.73
Donald Lavoie, Fireman	44.40
Roger Lavoie, Fireman	39.60
Roger Letendre, Fireman	43.80
Leandre Desrocher, Fireman	43.20
Richard Gaumont, Fireman	43.20
Camille Champagne, Fireman	43.20
Robert Chevrette, Fireman	32.00
Herve Malo, Fireman	27.60
Rene Boudreau, Fireman	27.00
Robert Baillargeon, Junior fireman	45.00
Walter Martel, Jr., Junior fireman	44.40
Gerard Vincent, Junior fireman	38.40
Andre Bonenfant, Junior Fireman	32.40
Richard Chevrette, Junior fireman	30.00
Paul Lamy, Jr., Junior Fireman	29.00
Robert Desrosier, Labor	29.00
Howard Davison, Labor	27.00
Larry Bernard, Labor	27.00
Clarence Terrell, Labor	26.00
Sam Gauthier, Junior fireman	25.20
Anthony Bilodeau, Labor	22.00
Stewart Severance, Labor	21.00
Robert Stimson, Labor	21.00
Donat Daneault, Fireman	8.40
Ernest Martel, Labor	7.00
Paul Champagne, Labor	6.00
David Dandurant, Labor	6.00
Robert Batchelder, Labor	5.50
Earl Gove, Labor	5.00
Norman Gagne, Labor	5.00
Donald Deshais, Labor	5.00
Jim Kryousky, Labor	5.00
Neil Gove, Labor	5.00
Ona Martel, Labor	5.00
Reginald Courtemanche, Labor	5.00
Paul Dandurant, Labor	5.00
Douglas Jackson, Labor	5.00
Robert Fleury, Labor	4.00
Richard Cantara, Labor	4.00
Chester Martel, Labor	4.00
Paul Auger, Labor	4.25
Norman Riopel, Labor	4.25
Lionel Martin, Labor	4.25
Carl McCormack, Labor	4.50
Robert Marier, Labor	3.50
Tim Desmond, Labor	3.50
Arthur Dionne, Labor	3.25
Wayne Gole, Labor	3.25
Everett Chaput, Labor	3.25
Fred Martin, Labor	3.25
Eugene Hilband, Labor	3.25

Paul Plante, Labor	3.25
Donald Beaudoin, Labor	3.25
Patsy Santacruse, Labor	3.00
Harvey Colby, Labor	3.00
Richard Brown, Labor	3.00
Robert Stevenson, Labor	3.00
Robert Gamache, Labor	3.00
Edgar Lavoie, Labor	3.20
Alfred Metivier, Labor	3.20
Robert Parenteau, Labor	2.50
Leo Payeur, Labor	2.70
Paul Lavoie, Labor	2.40
Raymond Connor, Labor	1.35
Donald Champagne, Labor	1.00
Donald Boudreau, Labor	1.00
Ernest Denoncourt, Labor	1.00
Edward Lemaire, Labor	1.00
O. Demers, Labor	1.00
D. Chaput, Labor	1.00
Philip Currier, Labor	1.00
Ernest Littlefield, Labor	1.00
Robert Lamy, Labor	1.00
Roger Desroche, Labor	1.00
Robert Denoncourt, Labor	1.00
Town of Hooksett, services	171.35
Town of Pembroke, services	168.40
Chroniak Jenney, gas	19.80
Chroniak Jenney, supplies	7.90
Chroniak Jenney, tonics	2.75
R. & H. Restaurant, lunches	42.85
Pierce's Sta., gas	2.05
Cost of fires	$ 1,673.11
Refund by the State of N.H.	831.92
Actual cost of the town	$ 841.19

TOWN HALL AND OTHER BUILDING EXPENSES

Herve Verville, 88 hrs. labor at $1.50	$ 132.00	
Herve Verville, 1 Qt. black enamel	1.90	
Herve Verville, 1 Qt. green enamel	1.90	
Herve Verville, 1 Qt. rust preventive	1.70	
		$ 137.50
Suncook Hardware, 2 gals. cream paint	15.40	
Suncook Hardware, 1 qt. linseed oil	.95	
Suncook Hardware, 15 lbs. putty	3.75	
Suncook Hardware, 1 10x20 glass	.75	
Suncook Hardware, 1 9 3/4x20 glass	.75	
	21.60	
Discount	3.51	
		$ 18.09
Total Town Hall and other building expenses		$ 155.59

VITAL STATISTICS EXPENSES

Achille Lefebvre, recording	$ 55.80

MUNICIPAL COURT EXPENSES

Lionel P. Stokes, Judge salary	$ 150.00

POLICE DEPARTMENT EXPENSES

Raymond P. Connor, chief, wages	$ 3,612.50	
Raymond P. Connor, vacation pay	140.00	
Raymond P. Connor, overtime	70.85	
Raymond P. Connor, auto hire	11.50	
Raymond P. Connor, supplies	5.71	
		$ 3,840.56
Eugene Cantara, special		248.15
Herve Verville, special		224.40
		$ 4,313.11
Alfred Metivier, fuel oil	$ 331.92	
N.E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone	120.25	
Public Service Co., services	38.41	
Pembroke, W.W., water bills	25.00	
		$ 515.58
Total expenses of Police Department		$ 4,828.69

LIBRARY EXPENSES

Aurore Raymond, librarian, salary	$ 180.00	
Aurore Raymond, book appropriation	300.00	
Aurore Raymond, encyclopedia	50.00	
Alfred Metivier, fuel oil	286.06	
Petit Plumbing, labor and materials	48.40	
Lucien Boisvert, labor on front steps	45.00	
Public Service, services	31.85	
Pembroke W.W., water bills	32.50	
Ovila Cantara, labor cutting lawn	13.50	
Robert Baillargeon, labor cutting lawn	3.00	
Sears Roebuck Co., repairs on mower	3.00	
Bill's Variety, supplies	.72	
Total expenses of library		$ 994.03

SPRAYING OF TREES EXPENSES

F. A. Bartlett Co., services spraying	$ 130.00

BLISTER RUST EXPENSES

State Treasurer, town's appropriation	$ 200.00

BOUNTY EXPENSES

Richard Bishop, 9 porcupine noses, at .50	$ 4.50

HEALTH DEPARTMENT EXPENSES

Joseph Forcier, salary of 1957, 1958, 1959 at $10.00	$ 30.00

T. R. A. EXPENSES

State Treasurer, town's appropriation	$ 341.18

STREET LIGHTING EXPENSES

Public Service Co., bills for street lights	$ 2,809.17

PARK AND PLAYGROUND EXPENSES

Edward Neveu, labor cutting grass	$ 84.00	
Merrimack Farmer Exchange, wire	37.80	
Chroniak Jenney, gas and tank	5.04	
Gagne's Sta., gas	1.40	
Sears Roebuck Co., mower repairs	10.65	
		$ 138.89
Suncook Union Cornet Band, concerts		120.00
Total expenses of Park and Playground		$ 258.89

SCHOOL EXPENSES

Estelle Godbout, treasurer, balance of 1958-1959 appropriation	$ 22,875.00
Estelle Godbout, treasurer, 1959-1960 appropriation in part	15,200.00
Total School Expenses	$ 38,075.00

TAX SALE OF 1959 EXPENSES

Armand Poirier, Tax Collector, sale to town	$ 367.59

COUNTY TAX EXPENSES

Donald Rainie, County Treasurer, tax	$ 7,758.21

INTEREST EXPENSES

Suncook Bank, interest on long term notes	$ 95.00
Suncook Bank, interest on temporary loans	278.06
Total interest expenses	$ 383.06

TEMPORARY LOANS EXPENSES

Suncook Bank, loans in anticipation of taxes	$ 20,000.00

STATE HEAD TAX EXPENSES

State Treasurer, balance of 1958 head taxes	$ 1,008.00
State Treasurer, 1959 head taxes in part	3,446.15
Total Head Taxes Expenses	$ 4,454.15

SOCIAL SECURITY EXPENSES

State Treasurer, Town's share of O.A.S.I.	$ 455.14
Dept. Public Welfare, Administrative cost	3.33
Total Social Security Expenses	$ 458.47

REFUNDS EXPENSES

State Forestry Dept., overassessed	$ 26.44
E. R. Webb, overassessed	8.40
Achille Lefebvre, over remitted	4.27
Total Refunds Expenses	$ 39.11

TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR ALL PURPOSES	$119,546.02

POLICE REPORT 1959

Doors found unlocked or open	27
Light out and reported	98
Gas Pumps	6
Accidents reported	11
Larceny (Juvenile)	3
Destroying Private Property	6
B. E. & Larceny	5
Missing Person	2
Disorderly Persons	2
Ringing False Alarm	3
Wanted Persons	2
Dog Nuisance	6
Safe Keeping	2
Complaints	24
Run Away Boy	1
Recovered Stolen Property	2
Recovered Stolen Auto	1
Total Arrests	7

Respectfully submitted ,

RAYMOND P. CONNOR
Chief of Police

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF THE POOR

TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN

December 31, 1959

Direct Relief	$ 270.20	
Soldiers' Aid	1,042.13	
Salary	150.00	
Total for year ending December 31, 1959		$1,462.33

ALICE P. GIRARD
Overseer of Poor

ALLENSTOWN LIBRARY REPORT 1959

Receipts

From Town	$ 350.00

Expenditures

Goodman's Bookstore	$ 222.64
Baron's Library	22.88
Magazines	104.48
	$ 350.00

MISS VERONIQUE A. DESMARAIS
MRS. AURORE RAYMOND
MRS. ANITA LETENDRE

PUBLIC HEALTH

Suncook, N. H.
January 11, 1960

The Selectmen:
Allenstown, N. H.

Dear Sirs:

Herewith is a report of the Health work which has been done in your community by the Bureau of Public Health Nursing of the N. H. State Department of Health in co-operation with your School Health Program and with local agencies as represented through the Child Health Conference Committee.

Polio Clinics:

Number held 1
Total Attendance 352

Number 1st shots 21
Number 2nd shots 10
Number 3rd shots 28
Number 4th shots 293

Very truly yours,
GERTRUDE J. SNOW
Public Health Nurse
Bureau of Public Health Nursing
N. H. State Department of Health

PREVENTION IS EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS

The year 1959 was fortunate from a forest fire standpoint. New Hampshire had the best record in the nation. Fewer acres were burned, suppression costs were substantially reduced and damage to woodlands held to a minimum. The record resulted from a combination of favorable weather conditions, an alert warden service and a cooperating public.

Yet, despite all this, there still persists a disturbing note

58%, or 6 out of every 10 fires in 1599 were caused by careless smokers and debris burners.
10%, or 1 out of every 9 fires was caused by children.

Careless, indifferent, thoughtless and independent minded individuals and failure of parents to properly supervise children and keep matches out of their reach, annually cause these unnecessary fires which cost large sums to extinguish and cause extensive damage. The elimination of these three causes of fires would radically change this picture. The rules are simple -

1. Before burning, secure a permit from your local forest fire warden - the law requires it.
2. Be sure to properly supervise your burning.
3. Make certain your fire is DEAD OUT before leaving it.
4. Don't throw lighted matches, cigars and cigarettes from moving vehicles - use your ash tray.
5. Don't burn at home - Use your town dump and save yourself much possible difficulty, both personal and financial.

Number of local fires 6
Number of acres burned 77
Number of permits issued 33

Thomas J. King
District Fire Chief

Armand Brisbois
Forest Fire Warden

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF ALLENSTOWN, N. H.

For the Year Ending June 30, 1959

OFFICERS OF THE DISTRICT

Moderator

AMEDEE COURTEMANCHE

SCHOOL BOARD

ARMAND R. DUPONT	Term Expires March 1960
ARTHUR L. GIRARD	Term Expires March 1961
ALFRED J. MARTEL	Term Expires March 1962

Treasurer

ESTELLE GODBOUT

Auditor

LIONEL P. STOKES

Superintendent of Schools

MURRAY H. WATSON
Candia, N. H.

Truant Officer and Building Custodian

ESDRAS LAVALLEE

District Clerk

ANITA BLAIS

Teachers and Other Employees of the Allenstown Elementary School
1958-1959

Mr. David R. Cawley, Principal	Grades 6-7-8
Mrs. Muriel C. McLeod	Grades 3-4-5
Mrs. Yvonne L. Olson	Grades 1-2

School Nurse

Miss Adonia A. Douillette, R. N.

Lunch Supervisor

Mrs. Carmen Martel

Bus Driver

Mr. David R. Cawley

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE ALLENSTOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT
For the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1958
And Ending June 30 1959

RECEIPTS

Federal Aid:		
National School Lunch and Special Milk	$ 272.95	
Local Taxation:		
Current Appropriation	40,975.00	
Other Sources:		
Elementary School Tuitions	78.69	
Secondary School Tuitions	614.27	
Notes or Bonds	4,019.00	
Other	25.74	
Total		$ 45,985.65
Cash on Hand at Beginning of Year, July 1, 1958		0.00
GRAND TOTAL NET RECEIPTS		$ 45,985.65

PAYMENTS

Administration:		
Salaries of District Officers	$ 320.00	
Superintendent's Salary-Local Share	486.70	
Tax for State Wide Supervision	232.00	
Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel	249.84	
Supplies and Expenses	395.36	
Instruction:		
Teachers' Salaries	$ 7,528.32	
Principal's Salary	4,300.00	
Books and Other Instructional Aids	327.37	
Scholars' Supplies	737.95	
Supplies and Other Expenses	46.68	
Operation of School Plant:		
Salaries of Custodians	$ 1,022.00	
Fuel or Heat	610.00	
Water, Light, Supplies and Expenses	461.42	
Maintenance of School Plant:		
Repairs and Replacements	$ 758.37	
Auxiliary Activities:		
Health Supervision	$ 732.20	
Transportation	1,571.75	
Tuition	15,168.25	
School Lunch (Federal & District Funds)	1,003.40	
Fixed Charges:		
Retirement	$ 798.98	
Insurance, Treas. Bonds and Expenses	295.88	
Capital Outlay:		
Additions and Improvements to Buildings	$ 5.00	
New Equipment	6,195.45	
Debt and Interest:		
Interest on Debt	$ 50.23	
Total Net Payments for All Purposes		$ 43,297.15
Cash on Hand at End of Year, June 30, 1959		2,688.50
GRAND TOTAL NET PAYMENTS		$ 45,985.65

STATUS OF SCHOOL NOTES AND BONDS

Outstanding at Beginning of Year	$ 0.00
Issued during Year	4,019.00
Payment of Principal of Debt	0.00
Outstanding at End of Year	4,019.00

BALANCE SHEET - JUNE 30, 1959

ASSETS

Cash on Hand at End of Year 1959	$ 2,688.50
Accounts Due District:	
Concord	314.56
TOTAL ASSETS	$ 3,003.06
Net Debt	1,015.94
GRAND TOTAL	$ 4,019.00

LIABILITIES

Notes and Bonds Outstanding	$ 4,019.00
Total Liabilities	$ 4,019.00
GRAND TOTAL	$ 4,019.00

REPORT ON TUITION RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

Tuition Receipts:		
Elementary	$ 78.69	
High School	614.27	
		$ 692.96
Tuition Payments:		
Elementary	$ 293.69	
High School	165.00	
N. H. Approved Public Academies	14,709.56	
		$ 15,168.25
TOTAL PAYMENTS		$ 15,168.25

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on hand January 1, 1959		$ 16,468.92
Receipts from the following sources:		
Suncook Bank, temporary loans		20,000.00
Eli R. Laflamme, former tax collector		
1958 property taxes	$ 3,013.08	
1958 poll taxes	160.00	
1958 head taxes	610.00	
1958 interest	45.97	
1958 penalties	59.50	
1957 poll taxes	6.00	
		$ 3,894.55
Armand Dupont, former tax collector		
1959 poll taxes	$ 364.00	
1959 head taxes	1,325.00	
1958 property taxes	2,468.36	
1958 poll taxes	80.00	
1958 interest	63.71	
1958 head taxes	140.00	
1958 penalties	14.00	
1957 head taxes	5.00	
1957 penalties	.50	
		$ 4,460.57
Armand Poirier, tax collector		
1959 property taxes	$ 67,832.64	
1959 poll taxes	864.00	
1959 head taxes	2,790.00	
1959 yield taxes	411.32	
1959 interest	34.38	
1958 property taxes	13,063.33	
1958 poll taxes	16.00	
1958 head taxes	55.00	
1958 interest	563.95	
1958 penalties	5.00	
		$ 85,641.12
Achille Lefebvre, town clerk		
1958 auto permits	$ 81.99	
1959 auto permits	7,427.12	
1959 dog licenses	315.10	
1959 filing fees	8.00	
		$ 7,832.21

From State Treasurer		
Reimbursement forest land	$ 564.36	
Interest and dividend tax	626.56	
Railroad tax	432.06	
Savings Bank tax	89.35	
Reimbursement old age assistance assistance	153.41	
Reimbursement public welfare	81.01	
Reimbursement forest fires	831.92	
Reimbursement porcupine bounty	4.50	
Reimbursement balance blister rust	.40	
Reimbursement use of fire truck	50.00	
		$ 2,833.57
Paul Auger, 1959 junk license		25.00
Raymond Connor, 1959 pistol permits		4.00
Dole Suncook Co., refund overpaid		12.20
Aurore Raymond, refund O.A.S.I. tax		1.35
Henry Baron, refund overpaid		24.10
Eli R. Laflamme, refund overremitted		.02
William L. Baillargeon, refund telephone calls		.75
Alphonse Couture, refund plowing driveway		2.25
Armand Drolet, refund oiling driveway		47.00
Omer Thibodeau, refund oiling driveway		6.00
Howard Robinson, refund oiling driveway		10.00
Redemptions of tax sales:		
Merrimack County Savings Bank, George Houle' taxes		85.46
Joseph Aregis, 1956-1957 taxes		58.85
Joseph Aregis, 1958 taxes		44.01
Roger Neveu, 1958 taxes		38.41
Ernest Auger, 1957 taxes in part		5.00
Total Receipts		$141,495.34
Expenditures per order of Selectmen		119,546.02
Cash on Hand December 31, 1959		$ 21,949.32

CATHERINE POIRIER,
Treasurer

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

RECEIPTS

National School Lunch		$ 272.95	
District General Fund		650.00	
Lunch Sales:			
Children	$ 971.94		
Adults	114.45	1,086.39	
Other Sources		53.24	
Total Receipts			$ 2,062.58
Cash on Hand July 1, 1958			114.75
GRAND TOTAL			$ 2,177.33

PAYMENTS

Food	971.63	
Labor	1,091.80	
Equipment	8.10	
Other	29.70	
Total Payments		$ 2,101.23
Cash on Hand June 30, 1959		76.10
GRAND TOTAL		$ 2,177.33

July 7, 1959

CARMEN MARTEL,
Lunch Supervisor

STATISTICAL REPORT FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDING

June 30, 1959

Half-days in session	360
Total enrollments	93
Average membership	80.66
Percent of Attendance	92.96
Average Daily Attendance of Pupils Transported by District	49.29
No. Tardinesses per Pupil	.36
No. Visits - School Board	4
No. Visits - Superintendent	30
No. Visits - Nurse	47
No. Visits - All Others	398

EIGHTH GRADE GRADUATES

June 15, 1959

Paul George Dandurand
Roland Raymond Denoyelle
Gerald Norman Desrosiers
Irene Anita Duguay
Joanne Emelia Duguay
Florence Irene Martel
James Granville Raymond
Edward Stewart Russell

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE
TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN
PEMBROKE ACADEMY

To tuition of the following pupils of the school year 1958-59.

PUPIL	AGE Sept. 1	GRADE	PARENT-GUARDIAN
Bergevin, Lorraine	16- 7	12	Mr. Antonio
Crane, Nancy	18- 5	12	Mr. John Severance
Dandurand, Jeanne	16-10	12	Mr. William
Demers, Constance	17- 1	12	Mr. Anthime
Duclos, Fleurette	16- 6	12	Mr. Lionel
Gauthier, Robert	18- 2	12	Mr. Samuel
Batchelder, Robert	18- 9	11	Mr. Horace
Bernard, Florence	15- 8	11	Mr. Hervey
Blazon, Robert	16- 0	11	Mr. Edward
Bourdon, Gloria	15-10	11	Mr. John
Chevrette, Richard	16- 9	11	Mr. Ulric
Currier, Philip	16- 7	11	Mr. Charles
Cyr, Judy	17- 2	11	Mr. Chester
Forcier, Jean	16- 5	11	Mr. Joseph
Hemeon, Doris	17- 5	11	Mr. Robert
LaRiccia, Donna	15- 9	11	Mr. Henry
Martel, Rita	15- 9	11	Mr. Walter
Martel, Walter	17- 2	11	Mr. Walter
Rodgers, Elizabeth	17- 2	11	Mrs. Hildegard
Severance, Stewart	15-10	11	Mr. John
Shuter, Marion	16- 2	11	Mr. Elwood Corliss
Burgess, Carol	16- 2		Dr. Lyman
Baillargeon, Robert	15- 6	10	Mr. William
Beaudoin, Donald	15- 4	10	Mr. Aime
Bernard, Laurent	14- 9	10	Mr. Hervey
Boisvert, Donald	16-10	10	Mr. Aram Beauchesne
Champagne, Paul	16- 2	10	Mr. Camille
Duguay, Jeanne	16- 1	10	Mr. Edward
Forcier, Rene	15- 4	10	Mr. Joseph
Gaskell, Owen	16- 2	10	Mr. Owen
Grandmaison, Laurette	15- 8	10	Mrs. Eva
Juranty, Ann	15- 5	10	Mr. Peter
Krzcuik, James	15- 8	10	Mr. Theodore
Marier, Robert	16- 5	10	Mr. David
Martel, Jean	15- 5	10	Mr. Maurice
Severence, Barbara	14- 9	10	Mr. John
Duguay, Dorothy	15- 2	9	Mr. Joseph
Gaumont, Yvette	13-10	9	Mrs. Beatrice
Gilbert, Phyllis	14- 2	9	Mr. Ibrey
Lewis, Mildred	14- 5	9	Mr. George
Martel, Maurice	14- 0	9	Mr. Maurice
Peace, David	14- 4	9	Mr. Ivan
Pelletier, Robert	14- 9	9	Mr. Charles
Risatti, Marie	13- 8	9	Mr. Rico
Vezina, Lorraine	14- 8	9	Mr. Alphonse

ANNUAL SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICE REPORT

1958 - 1959

Total number of pupils examined 496

Defects	No. Cases	No. Treated
Vision	21	41
Hearing	2	2
Skin	6	6
Scalp Ringworm	1	1
Speech	5	2
Teeth	219	231
Tonsils	6	27

Vaccinations	496
Vision Tests	496
Hearing Tests	370
Inspections	496
Heights	496
Weights	496
First Aid	58
Chicken Pox	6
Measles	22
Mumps	3
Impetigo	8
Scarlet Fever	2
Ringworm	1

Clinics and Special Referrals	No. Examined	No. Treated
Dental (Sept.-June)	31	31
Preschool * June	39	
Well Child Conference** (Sept.-June)	6	6
Orthopedic (Sept.-June)	6	6
X-ray (May)	2	2
Pediatric (Sept.-June)	2	2
TB Patch (Mar. 5-6)	206	151
Polio (Apr.-June)	61	61

No. of Home Visits and Telephone Calls 189

* For pupils entering school in fall.

** Sponsored by Department of Health where school nurse-teacher assists.

ADONIA DOUILLETTE,
School Nurse-Teacher

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

February 1, 1960

To the School Board of Allenstown:

It is a privilege for me to submit my thirteenth annual report concerning the Allenstown school.

The school added its fourth teacher last fall thus utilizing every room in the building. This was necessary because of the increase at the levels of Grades 3-4-5. Unless our estimates are incorrect, we should continue the same way another year grouping the children so that each teacher will have two grades.

Our transportation problem seems to have been solved, at least for the next few years. May I say that this has surely been a step forward in the district especially when transportation costs are increasing all around us.

Again we come to the budget. Here also, we must face the same increases that we have faced in the past. The largest items now are teachers' salaries and tuition - $16, 850 and $17, 955 respectively. These two items together form 72% of the entire budget leaving 28% for all other items. We have no control over the tuition because this is set by the schools to which we send our children and we have very little control of teachers' salaries if we are still to try to get capable and competent teachers for our children.

According to the census reports, the school will not become any smaller. We can probably handle from 10 to 15 more children in the present rooms by crowding a bit, but at the end of the next 5 to 8 years the school will not be large enough to take care of them. Both Hooksett and Pembroke are putting the machinery in motion to develop another phase of American education, the Junior High School, and should such a project become a reality, then Allenstown will be right in the middle of theplan. This could be one of the most important steps to be taken in this part of the state.

It might be interesting and rather surprising to know that these three towns of Allenstown, Hooksett, and Pembroke will spend in tuition for next year nearly $150, 000. What do you estimate it will probably be in five years? Really no one can guess because we must know the number of children and the cost of tuition at that time. We do know that tuition in Concord for 1960-61 will be $415, in Pembroke Academy $395, in Manchester over $400 and with a state average of $399. Since this situation is not peculiar to us alone, we can only assume that similar costs will show all over the state as well as the nation.

For a moment, let us look at the private schools, especially in this vicinity. The time is not too far away when construction of some kind must be made to house the ever-increasing growth of school enrollments. If the public school authorities make an effort to support and solve this problem, then it will stand to reason that a great many private school children will avail themselves of the opportunity to become public school students.

Both Hooksett and Pembroke are asking their districts to set aside a small sum in order to study the situation in connection with buildings, land, transportation, legal fees, and other necessary expenses in order to solve this problem. It is hoped that Allenstown will consider such a similar responsibility and join forces with Hooksett and Pembroke.

May I again thank the Board for its help and courage in facing the school problems of the community. It has been a pleasure to work with and associate with you during the past twelve years. May you still have the vision to meet the ever-increasing problems which are inevitable in a democratic country.

Respectfully submitted,

MURRAY H. WATSON,
Superintendent of Schools

TENTATIVE SCHOOL CALENDAR

January to June 1960 ---

Schools Open ..... Monday, January 4
Schools Close ..... Friday, February 19
(Winter Vacation - Feb. 22-26)

Schools Open ..... Monday, February 29
Schools Close ..... Friday, April 22
(Spring Vacation - April 25-29)

Schools Open ..... Monday, May 2
Schools Close ..... Monday, May 30
(Memorial Day)

Schools Open ..... Tuesday, May 31
Schools Close ..... Thursday, June 16
(Or at the completion of 180 full school days)

September to December 1960 ---

Schools Open ..... Thursday, September 8
Schools Close ..... Wednesday, October 12
(Columbus Day)

Schools Open ..... Thursday, October 13
Schools Close ..... Thursday & Friday, October 20-21
(Teachers' Convention)

Schools Open ..... Monday, October 24
Schools Close ..... Friday, November 11
(Veterans' Day)

Schools Open ..... Monday, November 14
Schools Close ..... Thursday & Friday, November 24-25
(Thanksgiving)

Schools Open ..... Monday, November 28
Schools Close ..... Friday, December 23
(Christmas Holidays - Dec. 24 - Jan. 2)

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

	1950	1955	1958	1959
School	$19,994.00	$28,863.00	$40,975.70	$42,274.63
Roads	11,820.00	12,450.00	15,350.00	19,938.81
County	7,889.97	6,740.70	7,123.90	7,758.21
Police	3,200.00	3,900.00	4,300.00	4,828.69
Hydrants	825.00	2,000.00	3,840.00	3,960.00
Fire Depts.	2,100.00	2,200.00	2,800.00	5,075.81
Street Lights	2,400.00	2,900.00	2,900.00	2,809.17
Relief	1,650.00	3,600.00	2,400.00	3,176.78
Salaries & Expenses	2,600.00	2,745.00	2,900.00	3,106.33
Note and Interest	150.00	3,100.00	1,795.00	1,873.06
Sewers, Sidewalk	1,450.00	1,000.00	50.00	340.29
Miscellaneous	3,904.58	2,481.48	3,358.74	4,149.69
	$57,983.55	$71,980.18	$87,793.34	$99,291.47

Roads includes Summer, Winter Maintenance, Rubbish, Oiling and Street Construction Expenses.

Relief includes Old Age Assistance, Town Poor and Soldiers Aid.

Miscellaneous includes Expenses of Town Hall, Health, Vital Statistics, T.R.A., Court, Memorial Day, Election Legal, Library, Parks & Playgrounds, Blister Rust, Xmas Lights, Spraying Trees and Social Security, Bounties.

Vital Statistics

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1959

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex and Condition: Male or Female	Sex and Condition: Living or Stillborn	Sex and Condition: No. of Child	Sex and Condition: Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother		Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
1959												
Jan. 3	Manchester	Kathleen A. Legendre	F	L	3	W	Ernest J. Legendre	Jeannine R. Baron	W	Milk Man	Pittsfield	Suncook
Jan. 6	Manchester	Jacqueline J Dusseault	F	L	4	W	Ernest G. Dusseault	Helen M. Lasalle	W	Mill worker	Manchester	Suncook
Jan. 15	Concord	Jon. B. Wilkinson	M	L	2	W	Paul J. Wilkinson	Alice F. Lewis	W	School Teacher	West Lebanon	Littleton
Jan. 31	Concord	Robert F. Daneault	M	L	2	W	George H. Daneault	Beverly B. Ames	W	Truck Driver	Suncook	Concord
Feb. 11	Manchester	Ann L. Severance	F	L	6	W	Floyd B. Severance	Judith F. Girard	W	Haul ManO	Concord	Concord
Feb. 24	Manchester	Donna M. Bergevin	F	L	1	W	Ernest A. Bergevin	Jacqueline M. Cyr	W	U.S. Army	Manchester	Manchester
Feb. 27	Manchester	Paul D. Baillargeon	M	L	2	W	Norman A. Baillargeon	Anita V. Beaulac	W	Loom Fixer	Suncook	Hooksett
Mar 18	Manchester	Anne M. Richard	F	L	3	W	Norman M. Richard	Elizabeth J. Silke	W	Manager	Pembroke	Waltham, Mass.
Mar. 25	Manchester	Claire A. Chaput	F	L	4	W	Arthur R. Chaput	Anita T. Dorant	W	U.S. P. Office	Pembroke	Suncook
Mar. 25	Manchester	Maureen A. Cawley	F	L	4	W	David R. Cawley	Lucille M. McGranaghan	W	Teacher	Pittsburg, Pa.	Manchester
April 1	Manchester	David W. MacDow	M	L	1	W	Milton W. MacDow	Elaine K. Bushway	W	Weaver	Arlington, Mass.	Exeter
April 13	Concord	Stephan G Raynes	M	L	1	W	James S. Raynes	Nancy E. Gault	W	Beneficial Fin.	Thetford, Vt.	Concord
April 13	Concord	Michael A. Poirier	M	L	2	W	Armand W. Poirier	Ruth J. Duhaime	W	Public Service	Concord	Manchester
April 24	Manchester	Kurt M. Smith	M	L	3	W	Henry E. Smith	M. Elizabeth Drought	W	Sears Roebuck & Co.	North Adams, Mass.	Concord
May 16	Manchester	John M. Lavoie	M	L	5	W	Gerard H. Lavoie	Ruth E. Knight	W	Brew Co.	Suncook	Concord
June 9	Concord	Patricia A. O'Laughlin	F	L	2	W	Robert J. O'Laughlin	Harriet M. Morgan	W	Salesman	Worcester, Mass.	Fall River, Mass.
July 8	Manchester	Joseph P. Ritchotte	M	L	2	W	Paul A. Ritchotte	Jacqueline H. Lessard	W	Motor Veh. Dept.	Manchester	Manchester
July 11	Manchester	Michael A. Hemeon	M	L	3	W	Robert Hemeon	Palma Prive	W	Filling Station	Vermont	Manchester
July 25	Manchester	Robert W. Plourde	M	L	2	W	Rudolphe J. Plourde	Evelyn J. Severance	W	Nat. Fence Co.	Suncook	Manchester
July 27	Manchester	Keith R. Godin	M	L	1	W	Robert H. J. Godin	Anita D. Baron	W	USAF	Manchester	Concord
Aug. 5	Manchester	Susan L. Clement	F	L	2	W	Robert D. Clement	Madeleine G. Bergevin	W	Stock Clerk	Concord	Allenstown
Aug. 19	Manchester	Nancy M. Courtemanche	F	L	3	W	Roland H. Courtemanche	Estelle Daneault	W	State Hospital	Allenstown	Suncook
Aug. 29	Manchester	Herbert M. Reslock	M	L	4	W	Alfred M. Reslock	Mary E. Malone	W	Elec. Eng.	Iowa	Cicero, Ill.
Sept. 1	Manchester	Victor A. Rondeau	M	L	6	W	Gerard P. Rondeau	Palmire E. Prive	W	Carpenter	Suncook	Manchester
Oct. 17	Manchester	Brian D. Courtemanche	M	L	3	W	Robert K. Courtemanche	Phylis Thibeault	W	Weaver	Allenstown	Concord
Sept. 13	Manchester	Roger J. Bonenfant	M	L	1	W	Jean D. Bonenfant	Georgette M. Laferte	W	Construction	Suncook	Suncook
Sept. 23	Manchester	Pamela Girard	F	L	3	W	Leonard L. Girard	Irene H. Kimball	W	Attendant	Suncook	Bouquet, N.Y.
Nov. 23	Manchester	James Campbell	M	L	3	W	Robert A. Campbell	Pauline C. Racine	W	Foreman	Concord	Suncook
Dec. 2	Concord	Lisa A. Abbott	F	L	2	W	Robert E. Abbott	Theresa J. Martel	W	-----	Concord	Manchester
Dec. 12	Manchester	Maureen P. Decato	F	L	1	W	Richard F. Decato	Jeannine L. Vezina	W	Service	Concord	Manchester
Dec. 19	Manchester	Louise Noel	F	L	2	W	Roland W. Noel	Lorraine F. Gautheir	W	Construction	Canada	Manchester

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MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1959

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age	Color	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Condition	Name and Official Station of Persons by whom Married
1959										
Jan. 31 Auburn	Jean C. Labrie	Allenstown	22	W	Knitting	Allenstown	Henri Labrie	Allenstown	S	Rev. Roland Montplaisir
							Ubalda Noel	U.S.A.		Catholic Priest
	Annette M. Desfosses	Auburn	21	W	Presser	Manchester	----------	---------	S	
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Feb. 14 Manchester	Jacobus J. Snel	Allenstown	39	W	Acct.	Orange, N.J.	Hendrick G. Snels	Netherlands	S	Rev. George Hooten, Jr.
							Rosetta G. Voornian	Netherlands		Minister
	Shirley L. Boss	Manchester	40	W	Secretary	Bridgeport, Conn.	Albert A. Hodgkins	Bridgeport, Conn.	S	
							Eva C. Perkins	Maine		
April 4 Manchester	Leo A. Guertin	Allenstown	19	W	Carpenter	Manchester	Nelson Guertin	Canada	S	Rev. Sylvio Beaudet
							Ida Duhaime	Manchester		Catholic Priest
	Madeleine M. Bellemore	Manchester	21	W	Examiner	Manchester	Nathias Bellemore	Canada	S	
							M. Rose Tormelle	Manchester		
May 16 Allenstown	John B. Proulx	Manchester	20	W	Advertising	Manchester	John M. Proulx	Canada	S	Rev. Adrien Verette
							Violet Pepin	Manchester		Catholic Priest
	Rita C. Racine	Allenstown	24	W	Electrical	Pembroke	John Racine	Pembroke	S	
							Antonia Laferte	Allenstown		
May 16 Allenstown	Floyd E. Kent	Manchester	19	W	Cutter	Manchester	Floyd T. Kent	Manchester	S	Rev. Adrien Verette
							Yvonne Deslorier	Manchester		Catholic Priest
	Jeanne L. Racine	Allenstown	19	W	Boxmaker	Manchester	John Racine	Pembroke	S	
							Antonia Lafert	Allenstown		
June 20 Pembroke	Rodney A. Towle	Hooksett	24	W	----------	Franklin	Herbert L. Towle	Loudon	S	Quentin L. Hand
							Louise A. Bean	Meriden		Methodist Minister
	Janice A. McNamara	Allenstown	24	W	Teacher	Manchester	Glenn O. McNamara	Vermont	S	
							Gladys M. Richard	Goffstown		
June 20 Claremont	Theodore M. Coty	Allenstown	26	W	Prison Guard	Cadyville, N.Y.	Eli Coty	New York	S	Rev. J.J. McCarthy
							Mary Hull	New York		Catholic Priest
	Jane M. Prudhomme	Claremont	21	W	Typist	Claremont	Leroy Prodhomme	N. H.	S	
							Rose Moquin	Canada		
July 4 Allenstown	Robert G. Duhaime	Allenstown	19	W	Accountant	Manchester	Percy J. Duhaime	Pembroke	S	Rev. Adrien Verette
							Juliette Rainville	Pembroke		Catholic Priest
	Jacqueline A. Langford	Pembroke	20	W	Secretary	Manchester	Lorin Langford	Manchester	S	
							Madeline Daneault	Allenstown		
July 4 Allenstown	Walter F. Lasonde	Concord	31	W	N.E. Box	Concord	Walter S. Lasonde	Penacook	S	Rev. Adrien Verette
							Mary Champagen	Concord		Catholic Priest
	Simone G. Richard	Allenstown	19	W	Grinder	Manchester	Aime Richard	Pembroke	S	
							Alice Desrosiers	Allenstown		
July 11 Allenstown	Bernard R. Riopel	Pembroke	20	W	Expediter	N. H.	Armand Riopel	Canada	S	Rev. Adrien Verette
							Lydia Rivet	N. H.		Catholic Priest
	Lucille D. LaFlamme	Allenstown	19	W	Steno.	N. H.	Eugene LaFlamme	N. H.	S	
							Germaine Boucher	N. H.		
July 11 Hooksett	Lester G. Daniels Jr.	Allenstown	21	W	Warehouse	Grasmere	Lester Daniels	N. H.	S	Rev. Robert D. Goodwin
							Beatrice --------	N. H.		Congregational church
	Elizabeth Herrick	Manchester	18	W	Millworker	Washington	Bernard Herrick	N. H.	S	
							Lucy Porshley	N. H.		
July 16 Pease A.F.B.	Allen H. Donaldson	Annapolis, Md.	20	W	Air Force	Annapolis, Md.	Edward F. Donaldson	Md.	S	Kenneth R. Israel
							Rachel C. Cupper	Penn.		Chaplain, Pease A.R.
	Betty H. Rodgers	Allenstown	18	W	Home	Goffstown	James A. Rudgers	N. H.	S	
							Hildegarde Burghardt	N. H.		
Aug. 8 Allenstown	Edward R. Cyr	Allenstown	20	W	Bookkeeper	N. H.	Edward Cyr	N. H.	S	Rev. Adrien Verette
							Alice L. Boucher	N. H.		Catholic Priest
	Rose A.Y. Girard	Pembroke	18	W	Machine Opr.	N. H.	Victor R. Girard	N. H.	S	
							Blanche M. Wilcott	N. H.		

Aug. 22 Allenstown	Anthony Abreu	Manchester	41	W	Fixer	Lowell, Mass.	John A. Brew	N. H.	S	Rev. Adrien Verette
							Mathilda Abreu	N. H.		Catholic Priest
	Gisele H. Racine	Allenstown	43	W	Home	Allenstown	Edward Hamel	Allenstown	W	
							Bernadette LeDuc	Canada		
Aug. 22 Allenstown	Onil J. LaFlamme	Concord	46	W	Cook	Canada	Anselme LaFlamme	Canada	S	Rev. Aime A. Boisselle
							Anne M. Brousseau	Canada		Catholic Priest
	Evelyn M. Desrosiers	Allenstown	48	W	Electronics	Rollsinford	Joseph Brisbois	Canada	W	
							Marie Michaud	Canada		
Sept. 5 Allenstown	James Arigis	Allenstown	25	W	Air Force	Manchester	Efstratios Arigis	Greece	S	Rev. Adrien Verette
							Alice Batchelder	U.S.A.		Catholic Priest
	Elizabeth M. Gould	Allenstown	18	W	Dole Fact.	Manchester	Frederick Gould	U.S.A.	S	
							Lydia Vallee	U.S.A.		
Oct. 3 Manchester	Maurice J. Deshaies	Suncook	21	W	Molder	Manchester	Herman Deshaies	N. H.	S	Rev. Sylvio Beaudet
							Germaine Beliveau	Canada		Catholic Priest
	Suzanne B. Boulanger	Manchester	18	W	Bookkeeper	Manchester	Armand Boulanger	N. H.	S	
							Yvette Derepentigny	Canada		
Oct. 3 Allenstown	Norman S. Chaput	Allenstown	20	W	Mac. Oper.	Manchester	Sylva Chaput	Allenstown	S	Rev. Adrien Verette
							Julia Brisbois	Salmon Falls		Catholic Priest
	Jeanne L. Pelletier	Allenstown	19	W	Steno.	Manchester	Charles Pelletier	Maine	S	
							Rache Duclos	Pembroke		
Oct. 23 Manchester	Edward P. Juranty	Allenstown	21	W	Hir. F.	Manchester	Peter S. Juranty	Willimantic, Conn.	S	William K. Keeffe
							Julia Albin	Laporte, Ind.		Clergyman
	Nancy E. Ambrose	Epsom	20	W	Nurse	Epsom	Watson T. Ambrose	Haverhill, Mass.	S	
							Helene Ordway	Epsom		
Oct. 24 Candia	Richard M. Currier	Allenstown	21	W	Carpenter	Portland, Me.	Herbert Currier	Hillsboro	S	George E. Seavey
							Virginia Daigneault	Epping		Justice of the Peace
	Sylvia A. Mandigo	Deerfield	18	W	---------	Brentwood	Harland Mandigo	Deerfield	S	
							Della Ladd	Concord		
Nov. 14 Hooksett	Charles W. Currier, Jr.	Allenstown	19	W	Technician	N. H.	Charles W. Currier	N. H.	S	Rev. Marcel Genereul
							Justine Forcier	N. H.		Catholic Priest
	Rose M. Distadio	Hooksett	18	W	Secretary	Conn.	John Distadio	Conn.	S	
							Antoinette Mitchell	N. H.		
Nov. 28 Allenstown	Joseph H. St. Germain	Allenstown	29	W	Teacher	Allenstown	Ephrem St. Germain	Canada	S	Rev. Adrien Verette
							Jennie Burke	Allenstown		Catholic Priest
	Jeanne C. Bouchard	Pembroke	32	W	Clerk	Pembroke	Ferdinand Bouchard	Canada	S	
							Rose Letendre	Pembroke		

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DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALLENSTOWN FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1959

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age	Place of Birth	Sex and Condition: Male or Female	Color	Mr. Wd. Sin.	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
1959										
Jan. 2	Manchester	Louis H. Benedetti	69	Italy	M	W	M	Wholesale House	Mario Benedetti	Theresa -----
Jan. 3	Manchester	Omer P. Boulet	51	Canada	M	W	M	Loomfixer	Clovis Boulet	Anaise Thibeault
Jan. 6	Pembroke	Elzear J. Noel	55	Canada	M	W	M	Cotton Mill	Cyrille Noel	Marie Morissette
Jan. 29	Manchester	Ernest L. Desgrange	57	Pittsfield	M	W	M	Welfare Worker	George Desgrange	Louise Roy
Feb. 5	Concord	Rose A. Beauchesne	63	Allenstown	F	W	W	Bindery	Napoleon Beauchesne	Erelia Beauchesne
Feb. 17	Pembroke	Anita Gendron	44	Canada	F	W	S	Woolen Mill	Josephat Gendron	Lunia Lefebvre
Feb. 28	Allenstown	Anna D. Thibeault	86	Canada	F	W	W	Housewife	George Dube	Desneige Raymond
Mar. 1	Allenstown	Israel Renaud	66	Allenstown	M	W	M	Millhand	Joseph Renaud	Marie Duteau
Mar. 12	Boscowen	Yvonne B. Laplante	77	Canada	F	W	M	Librarian	J. Baptiste Lemaire	Domithilde Poutre
Mar. 20	Lauderdale, Cal.	Lucien Boudreau	--	-----	M	W	-	-----	-----	-----
Mar. 23	Allenstown	Eludie Drolet	87	Canada	F	W	W	Housewife	Adrien Demontigny	Alphonsine Lefebvre
April 2	Concord	Cecilia N. Letendre	47	Pembroke	F	W	S	Mill Operative	Napoleon Letendre	Eva Bourget
April 8	Pembroke	Rachel Malo	46	Allenstown	F	W	S	Mill Operative	Joseph Malo	R. Verville
April 21	Farmington	Louise A. Cline	54	Canada	F	W	M	House wife	Theophile Chaffe	Elizabeth Pichette
April 23	Manchester	Elizabeth R. Gallien	80	Canada	F	W	M	Housewife	Pierre Robichaud	Marie Arseneault
April 27	New Bedford	Joseph Veronneau	89	Canada	M	W	W	Mill Operative	J. Baptise Nerunneau	Lucie Pettie
May 19	Pembroke	Julie L. Desmarais	83	Canada	F	W	W	Home	Joseph Lepitre	Odelie Laflotte
May 25	Allenstown	Alphonse J. Couture	69	Berlin	M	W	M	Fur. Factory	Alphonse Couture	Adele Hamel
May 28	Manchester	Edward A. Duguay	56	Allenstown	M	W	M	Upholsterer	Olivier Duguay	Mathilda Martel
June 4	Allenstown	Celina Plante	84	Canada	F	W	W	Home	Felix Caron	Malvina Bourque
Aug. 11	Concord	Emma Roy	87	Hooksett	F	W	W	Home	Joseph Lamiette	Mary Collins
Aug. 20	Allenstown	Grace S. Marston	80	Pembroke	F	W	W	Housewife	John H. Sullivan	Ariannah Whittemore
Aug. 18	Manchester	Florida P. Clouthier	77	Canada	F	W	W	Housewife	Paul Pomerleau	Obiline Boissonneault
Sept. 5	Manchester	Joseph F. Fontaine	61	Berlin	M	W	-	Postal Clerk	Joseph Fontaine	Domithilde Guay
Sept. 24	Manchester	Joseph D. Dion	69	Pittsfield	M	W	M	Mill Hand	Joseph Dion	Delia Caouette
Sept. 27	Boston	Leo Robert Brasley	--	-----	M	W	-	-----	-----	-----
Sept. 28	Pembroke	Samuel J. Duford	64	Allenstown	M	W	M	Carpenter	Albert Duford	Odina Neveux
Oct. 1	Boscowen	Joseph Rock	82	Canada	M	W	-	Millwright	--- Rock	Clarice ---
Oct. 4	Manchester	Fayda Harnois	44	Pembroke	M	W	M	Plumber	Paul Harnois	Albertine Blazon
Oct. 4	Concord	Bertha Edstrom	76	Sweden	F	W	W	Housewife	Carl Hagstrom	Martha Nielson
Oct. 13	Concord	Philip S. Raymond	52	North Jay, Me.	M	W	M	Draftsman	James Raymond	Winifrid Stevenson
Nov. 15	Manchester	S. Mary of St. Norbert	55	New Bedford, Mass.	F	W	S	Superior	Norbert Parent	Amerilda Isabelle
Nov. 26	Manchester	Simeon Gamelin	47	Suncook	M	W	-	Box Maker	Wilfrid Gamelin	Emelia Lepitre
Dec. 4	Windsor, Vt.	Donat Daneault	64	Allenstown	M	W	M	Millworker	Frederick Daneault	Mary Plouf
Dec. 5	Allenstown	Arline V. Leightizer	67	Andover, Mass.	F	W	M	Housewife	Nelson Maskell	Johanna Hefferman
Dec. 17	Pembroke	Hubert Pelissier	70	Pembroke	M	W	M	Fireman	Edward Pellissier	Celina Hamel
Dec. 24	Manchester L	Lumina Daneault	73	Pembroke	F	W	M	Housewife	George Pincince	Melitva Rathier
Dec. 24	Manchester	Baby Girl Grondin		Manchester	F	W	S	-----	Paul Grondin	Jeannine Thibodeau
Dec. 28	Fall River, Mass.	Mary Couture	71	Ireland	F	W	W	Housewife	Florence Harrington	Julia Cronin

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